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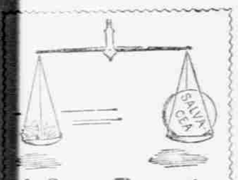

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THE MARKETS.

PITTSBURG, Feb 25

WHEAT—No. 1 red, 79@80c, No 2 red, 76@77c; spring wheat, 74@75c.

CORN—No. 2 yellow ear, 34½@35½c; No 2 shelled, 33@33½c; high mixed shelled, 31½@32c, mixed ear, 32@33c.

OATS—No 1 white, 25½@25¾c; No. 2, do., 25@25½c; extra No. 3 white, 24½@25c, light mixed, 22½@23c.

HAY—No. 1 timothy, $16.00@16.25; No 2 timothy, $14.50@15.00, mixed clover, $14.00@14.50; packing, $9.00@9.50; No 1 feeding prairie, $11.50@12.00, wagon hay, $18.00@19.00 for timothy.

BUTTER—Elgin creamery, 24@25c; Ohio fancy creamery, 22@23c; fancy country roll, 14@15c; low grade and cooking, 7@8c.

CHEESE—Fancy New York, full cream, large size, 10@10½c; New York flats, 10½@11c; fancy Ohios, September make, 9½@10c; Wisconsin Swiss, in tubs, 13@13½c; limburger, 12½@13c; Ohio Swiss, in tubs, 11½@12c; Swiss, in square blocks, 13@13½c.

EGGS—Strictly fresh Pennsylvania and Ohio, in cases, 13½@14½c; Southern, 12½@13½c; cold storage, 10@11c.

POULTRY—Large live chickens, 80@90c per pair; live chickens, small, 60@65c; spring chickens, 50@75c, as to size; dressed chickens, 13@14c per pound; live ducks, 80@90c per pair; live turkeys, 13@14c per pound; dressed, 16@18c; live geese, $1.00@$1.50 per pair.

PITTSBURG, Feb. 25.

CATTLE—Receipts fair, 70 cars on sale; market very dull; prices this week 10c to 20c lower than last week. We quote prices as follows: Prime, $4.25@4.40; good, $4.10@4.25; good butchers, $3.60@4.00; rough fat, $3.00@3.75; bulls, stags and cows, $1.75@3.50; fresh cows and springers, $15@40.

HOGS—Receipts on Monday was light; about 20 cars on sale; the market opened active, but closed weak and lower. Today the supply is fair for Tuesday; demand light; market dull. Chicago reported lower. We quote prices as follows: Prime selected, medium weight, $4.45@4.50; best Yorkers and pigs, $4.50@4.40; heavy hogs, $4.30@4.40; roughs, $3.00@4.00.

SHEEP AND LAMBS—Supply this week 45 cars; demand light today; market slow at the following prices: Prime sheep, $3.65@3.80; good, $3.50@3.60; fair $3.10@3.40; common, $2.50@3.00; culls, $1.00@2.00; lambs, $4.50@4.75; veal calves, $6.00@6.50; heavy and thin calves, $2.50@3.50.

CINCINNATI, Feb. 25.

HOGS—Market weak and lower at $3.60@4.80. Receipts, 3,000 head. Shipments, 1,500 head.

CATTLE—Market quiet at $2.50@4.25. Receipts, 300 head. Shipments, 200 head.

SHEEP AND LAMBS—Market weak and lower at $1.50@3.65. Receipts, 300 head. Shipments, none. Lambs—Market slow and lower at $3.25@4.75.

NEW YORK, Feb. 25.

WHEAT—Spot market strong; No. 1 hard, 78½c f. o. b. afloat.

CORN—Spot market firm; No. 2, 37¼c.

OATS—Spot market firmer. No. 2, 26¼c.

CATTLE—Market steady; cables unchanged.

SHEEP AND LAMBS—Market slow. Sheep, good to choice, $3.75@4.25; lambs, good to prime, $4.75@5.00.

HOGS—Market weak at $4.35@4.80; extra prime pigs, $4.90.

REFUSED THE WRIT.

Attorney General Decides In Favor of the Cambria Company.

HARRISBURG, Feb. 26.—Attorney General McCormick has refused to issue a writ of quo warranto against the Cambria Iron company of Johnstown for alleged violation of the act of 1891, prohibiting mining and manufacturing corporations from carrying on stores known as company stores or general supply stores.

The petition was presented by 20 citizens of Johnstown, and is supplemented with the affidavit of G. A. Funk, a former employe of the Cambria Iron company, who alleges that he was discharged for refusing to settle an unjust account with the store on Jan. 31, 1896. The attorney general takes the ground that the petitioners have not made out a prima facie case and that the writ should not be allowed, unless he is satisfied the case would be sustained in the courts. He claims to have a reasonable discretion under the act of assembly. In this particular case ever material averment was denied by the many affidavits of the respondents, and he therefore denies the application for a writ.

KIND OFFER FROM ENGLAND.

British Geographical Society Offers Evidence to the Venezuelan Commission.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 26.—The Venezuelan boundary commission has received, through Mr. Tehane, a letter enclosing one from Sir Clement Markham, president of the British Royal Geographical society, offering to furnish the American commission with all the charts and information in its possession touching the location of the true boundary between Venezuela and British Guiana.

A reply has been made to this offer expressing the gratitude of the commission for the tender and stating that it will be held under consideration in the expectation that the case which the British government has promised to submit will include all of the information that is in the possession of the society and so render it is unnecessary to tax it at this time, by an acceptance of this offer.

The N. Y., P. & O. Railroad Sold.

AKRON, O., Feb. 26.—The New York, Pennsylvania and Ohio railway has been sold by Receiver and Master Commissioner John Tod of Cleveland under order of the courts of Summit county, O., Crawford county, Pa., and Chautauqua county, N. Y. Attorney H. B. Turner of New York offered $10,000,000, the minimum price set by the courts. The bid was immediately accepted. Mr. Turner made the purchase in the names of Roswell G. Ralston and C. C. Mason, a committee appointed by the first mortgage bondholders. As soon as the deeds are filed, the road will be transferred to the newly organized Erie Railway company.

Manufacturers Win Their Case.

HARRISBURG, Feb. 26.—The suits brought in the Dauphin county court recently by several large manufacturing concerns against the Pennsylvania railroad for discrimination in freight rates have been settled. The plaintiffs were: McCormick company, Charles L. Bailey company, Central iron works, Harrisburg Rolling Mill company, Harrisburg; Columbia Rolling company, Columbia, and Steacey & Denny Rolling Mill company, York. They claimed damages to the amount of $190,000 for excessive freight rates on coal. The railroad company has allowed them $130,000.

Contest For Democratic Convention.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 26.—The executive committee of the National Association of Democratic Clubs will meet in Washington at the Ebbitt House on the 13th and 14th of April. There is quite a contest being waged for the convention of the Association of Democratic Clubs.

NEGRO LIFE.

A Word Picture of Its Delights and Disappointments.

The Corn Shucking at Uncle Moses' and Its Interesting Features—Scenes of Hilarity Among the Dusky Participants.

Uncle Moses and his wife, Aunt Dilsy, both being very old and afflicted, were allowed to occupy a little old cabin and use what land they could tend, rent free.

Uncle Moses requested that he be permitted "to cut de trees offen dat ar li'l branch, what runs from my bac yard, please, sah."

Permission granted, Uncle Moses didn't look as if he could fell a sapling. He was so afflicted that he couldn't plow. It was Aunt Dilsy that plowed. But he displayed an ability to cut down trees that was truly astonishing. Soon he had a long, narrow strip of rich, low ground, and Aunt Dilsy plowed it with the cow. She plowed with the cow because she was of a timid nature besides being afflicted. She would have been afraid of any other beast, even if she had had one, which she hadn't. And now, behold the corn! Such a pile of corn had been raised on "dat ar li'l branch bottom," that its fame had spread abroad over the plantation.

Very proud and boastful was Uncle Moses, and great was the crowd at his corn shucking. Old and young, renters and hired hands, and even Uncle Bristol Hunt, who owned seven acres of land, were all there. As it was not a "licker corn shucking," but a "supper corn shucking," the ladies were out in full force.

Conspicuous among them were the Conitchee girls, in red skirts and new shirt waists, the belles of the evening. Running them pretty close, though, were the Turner girls, who wore only gingham dresses, but had side combs in their bangs and their back hair arranged in Psyches. The boys were numerous and jolly, several from "over the crick" being present. Jimmie Goode, the crack banjo player, was also there.

"You, Jimmie, dar!" cried Uncle Moses. "Don't you shuck none o' my corn; you pick dat banjo, so dese niggers can wuk fast. Dis ain't no one-horse corn pile!"

"All right, Uncle Mose" assented Jimmie, readily. "Jesso I don't haf ter pick it at supper time," and the fascinating strains of "Georgie Buck" filled the air.

The shucking went on briskly with increasing hilarity.

"Hi, dar, you niggers!" interrupted Uncle Moses. "Don't you dassen't play baseball wid my years o' corn," and "You stop dat rasslin', you Sam Jones en Kiah Hawkins! Miss Pattie Belle Conitchee ain't lookin' at yer en yer ain't got her ter study."

The task of preserving order kept Uncle Moses busy and gave him little time for telling any of his stories of "de good old time befo' de war."

When the huge pile of corn was getting low, the magic announcement of "Supper!" was made—and such a supper! Fat roasted pig, luscious chicken pie, spicy pumpkin pies, golden potato custards and the most wonderful cakes.

Aunt Dilsy was a cook "shore nuff."

The compliments she received from the appreciative consumers were fairly overwhelming. The crowning feature was the cutting of the "live bird cake." It was a veritable cake, brown and delicious, in the center of which was a bird, alive and fluttering. A vote was taken to decide which of the young ladies should have the honor of cutting the cake and liberating the bird.

Excitement ran high, and through the energetic efforts of Siah Hawkins, Miss Pattie Belle Conitchee came very near being elected to that honor. But Miss Ginky Turner received the most votes in the end, greatly to the elation of the Turner faction. Miss Ginky Turner was led up to the cake table by Jimmie Goode, his banjo swung jauntily over his shoulder, and she sliced the cake with much grace and dexterity. The live bird hopped out, and after flying about the room in bewilderment, perched itself upon a rafter, among sage and red peppers, from which height it seemed to view the proceedings with a quizzical eye. The banjo being again called into requisition, Jimmie Goode played "Bird in a Cage, Love," all singing with him. This was followed by "Dat Yaller Gal, She's Mine," a solo by Kiah Hawkins. Jimmie then played his inimitable "Johnnie, Cyan't Yer Cum?" but it was to the dulcet strain of "Greasy Bread" that old Uncle Moses went to sleep under the table.—N. Y. Sun.

Giving Credit.

The customs surrounding the giving of credit differ widely in different countries. In Italy credit is given only on undoubted security; in Cuba five months after delivery. In the Bermudas settlements are annual. In Austria it is impossible to do business without giving a year's credit; in England settlement is counted upon every three months; in Spain four-fifths of the business is done on a cash basis; Turkish and Russian credit averages 12 months; in China credit is unknown, and 30 days is the rule in Canada.

Tiberius' Pleasure Gallery.

Divers in the Lake of Nemi, near Albano, have found at the bottom of the lake, 80 feet from the shore, the pleasure galley in which Emperor Tiberius held his orgies. It still seems to be decorated with bronzes and Mosaics. They have brought up bronze heads, a wolf and lion, targets with inscriptions and rings for the docks. Cardinal Colonna tried without success to recover the galley in the 15th century, and another attempt was made at the beginning of this century, when some large bronze nails were brought up.

Food of Birds of Prey.

According to the agricultural department, 95 per cent. of the food of hawks, owls, crows and blackbirds consists of animals and insects far more dangerous to agriculture than the birds themselves. The corn eaten by the crows is mostly waste corn, picked up in the fall and winter. Cuckoos are also found to be very useful to the farmer.

A WOMAN'S WAIST.

Irreparable Injury Done by Tight Lacing.

It is matter for rejoicing that fashion is no longer to decree a slender waist as something indispensable to propriety and grace. The natural waist of the woman of average height is about 28 inches, and any less size is attained only through arrested development, or compression of means of whalebone and steel. The amount of room inside these 28 inches is absolutely needed for the proper working of the machinery of the internal economy. In spite of this fact girls very often bind the yielding ribs into such narrow compass that the waist measures 20 or 22 inches only, and you will now and then hear some mother of a family, with a very different waist now, boast as if it were something to be proud of that when she was 19 her waist measure was 19 too. It is, however, of no use to talk to young people about the injurious effect of compression on stomach, heart, lungs, liver and the arterial system. They are not anatomists, and they do not comprehend the matter nor want to do so; they observe that they feel as well now as they did before, and without weighing the thought that it requires time to work ruin, take it for granted that they always will feel as well, although they have been told and taught that in post-mortem examinations it has been found that wherever tight lacing has been the rule, every organ was out of place and seriously injured. But although it does move them a trifle to be told that red noses and eruptive skins and flat chests are to be laid to the account of the too slender waist, yet on the whole neither common-sense nor auld-wife wisdom nor doctors have the power of conviction that fashion does, and when fashion says that there is no beauty in a wasp's waist, but that the lines of nobility and health made by deep breathing are the really lovely lines, fragility being something rather to be feared than loved, why then fragility begins to be avoided, and the lines of the Venus de Milo, of the Diana, of the Pallas, begin to come in.

The habit of tight lacing has already done almost irretrievable injury. If it were continued there is no knowing what shape it might eventually have developed. Even no sculptors declare that a model with a natural waist, sloping outward rather than inward, is something not to be found, even the most charming figures otherwise having the hour-glass tendency, in however slight a form sufficient to spoil them for posing for anything demanding the freedom, the beauty and grace of the antique. The Greek woman supported and stayed herself with bands of linen, but there was no compression in the swathe, and her natural waist made her of a perfect beauty; and to-day the natural waist of the Circassian does not interfere with the reputation of her loveliness. The adoption of European dress by ladies of the harem, and of Japan, showing, as it does, either a want of the knowledge of true beauty or a willful abandonment of its principles, will probably lead to tight lacing in the orient just as we are relinquishing it here.

Why anyone should ever have imagined that a waist which looked as if it were going to break in two could be more attractive than a waist which looked capable of supporting its head and arms and shoulders is a mystery—so great a mystery that the effort to solve it is to be given up in satisfaction over the report that the foreign creators of the mode have recently asked themselves the question if the shape that the Creator chose for the human body was one they could improve.—Harper's Bazar.

STARVING PARIS DOCTORS.

Not Enough Patients—Free Hospitals Cut Into the Practice of Many Physicians.

A double suicide, which shocked Paris the other day, brought to the attention of the public the financial straits in which, it is said, the majority of the physicians of that city live, says the New York World. Dr. Arnaud de Langlard, an old physician, who had been decorated by the government for brave conduct during the cholera epidemic many years ago, committed suicide with his wife because his practice had dwindled to the vanishing point and starvation was staring them in the face.

In commenting upon the tragedy several newspapers asserted that in Paris not more than one doctor out of five is able to make more than the barest living. Among the causes of this poverty among physicians is the destitution of most of their patients. Medical science has made such great strides, too, that maladies of all sorts are now more quickly cured, and such precautions are taken to prevent the spread of contagious diseases that epidemics are becoming practically unknown. The number of doctors, on the other hand, has rapidly increased. Another reason why there is not practice enough to go around is that in many of the hospitals people can be treated for nothing or at a very nominal figure. Many of these hospitals have training schools, which are free, in which are taught the rudiments of medicine and surgery. These schools are largely attended and many sick people are taken in hand at their own homes by some members of the family who has profited by this instruction.

How to Get a Square Meal.

In an eating-house I sit as near brakemen as possible. Brakemen always have good appetites and eat everything in sight. As long as they pursue the even tenor of their way I know the train is a fixture. By keeping one eye on these unfailing indicators, and by starting one or two courses ahead of them, I now contrive to get something to eat when dining-cars are not attached to my train. It is not a "square" meal, but it keeps body and soul together. It is not such a meal as a certain man ate once upon a time and then handed 75 cents in payment.

"One dollar, if you please," said the cashier.

"Why, look here," argued the traveler, "you advertise to furnish meals for 75 cents."

"That's all right," replied the cashier, letting his clinched fist fall upon the desk with a mighty thud, "but when a man eats as though there were no Creator it's one dollar!"—Kate Field, in Chicago Times-Herald.

HOUSEHOLD SUGGESTIONS.

To decorate a grate that is not required for use, place in it some small pots containing ferns. Collect small fir cones, varnish them and throw around in the grates so the pots shall be hidden.

If you possess a cozy corner with a shelf at the top have a zinc trough made to fit it and fill this with some hardy foliage and flower plants. They will last a long time and add greatly to the beauty of the room.

The latest card cases and pocket-books are made from a leather that is called elephant's hide. It has rather a rough surface and is of a light tan color. They are mounted at the corners in dull gold, or have a plain gold band around them, headed by a narrow beading.

It is not necessary to have fresh and green things for all salads. The cold cooked vegetables may be utilized—asparagus tops, peas, beans, cold potatoes and beets, cut in cubes, or any of them, mixed together with a few capers and sliced olives. The dish, for any salad should be rubbed inside with a raw onion.

Furs will look much improved if they are cleaned with bran heated in the oven. Rub the hot bran well into the fur with a piece of flannel, then shake the fur to remove all particles, and brush thoroughly. Fur collars that have become soiled from rubbing against the hair may be made to look like new by using hot bran on them. Apply the bran a second time if the fur is badly soiled.

WOMEN EVERYWHERE.

Miss Helen M. Winslow, of Boston, was the guest of honor at the Professional Woman's league meeting in New York. She is said to have made one of the brightest impromptu speeches ever heard at the league.

Mrs. John Ward Dunsmore, of Cincinnati, wife of the artist, has made quite a success as a speaker on art topics, a subject with which she is thoroughly conversant. Mrs. Dunsmore, who is an exceedingly graceful and charming woman, was a Boston girl, Miss Corrinna Buffinton.

It was after ex-Empress Eugenie of France that Princess Beatrice's little daughter was named. The unfortunate empress holds the children of this princess very dear to her, and is seen much with them during her residence in the highlands and when she stays with her majesty. She probably remembers that had her son been spared to her Princess Beatrice's children would have been her own grandchildren.

The duchess of Albany has come to the front as an inventor. She has designed a schoolroom desk, for which the Sanitary institute has awarded her a gold medal at its exposition in London. It was designed some time ago, and is now in use in most of the royal and imperial nurseries in England and on the continent. The invention has special reference to the effect of posture on the health of school children, and is very suitable and practicable, its parts being adjustable to the work of physical development of a child.

THE MANGER IN BETHLEHEM.

Its Bareness Concealed by the Rich Gifts of the Devout for Ages.

No one thing in the Gospel story appeals more to the hearts of young and old alike than that the Redeemer of Men was born in a place so lowly as a manger, out of which beasts were wont to take their food. Every one who has heard or read the immortal narrative of that birth has tried to picture to himself the scene—that rough stable, hollowed out of the rocks—where Christianity had its origin.

The poverty and squalor of that scene have been of wondrous power in affecting the hearts of all of us. We have pondered the rude features of that environment until it has gained a romantic place in our thoughts. Few of us have not hoped we might sooner or later look on that historic spot, so fraught with portents for mankind.

But the visitor to Bethlehem is doomed to disappointment. There is no stable to be seen. The uncouth chamber of which the evangelists tell is no more. Whither has it vanished? It has been concealed from view by a veneer of beauty—it has been destroyed from sight by esteem for it. The rocky walls of the cavern are concealed behind panels of marble; the manger, which was the cradle of Christ, is shown only by the same marble forms; innumerable lights dissipate the original gloom; the Christian church has delighted in bringing hither its gifts of gold, frankincense and myrrh, as did the wise men who came under the leading star. The church has done no more than to follow in its rich offerings the example set forth in the Scriptures, but the result is unfortunate. It thrills the heart of the devout, doubtless, to stand on the spot where the Infant Christ first opened human eyes, but how infinitely more would it thrill the heart could one but see that scene in all its first nakedness—the bare rocks, the naked floor, the gloomy recesses, the damp air, shaken by many currents—the unadorned, the real birth chamber of Jesus Christ?—N. Y. Herald.

ELECTRIC INCUBATOR.

A German Has Invented One Which Is Said to Be Successful.

The idea of an electric incubator has long been looked upon by poultry farmers as too theoretical to be of any real service. Herr Otto Schulze, who has been steadily striving to perfect such a system in Germany, has, it is said, at length succeeded in constructing an apparatus operated electrically, which overcomes the ordinary difficulties of the artificial hatching of chickens. The apparatus is easily manipulated, and needs a small, but constant, supply of current. Automatic attachments regulate both temperature and moisture, the adjustment working with such delicacy that a temperature is kept within one-tenth of a degree of the normal heat of incubation. From 90 to 100 eggs are hatched at one time. Herr Schulze is said to have remedied certain points in the electric "mother," which were found to interfere with its effectiveness. This contrivance, which is a box, in which freshly-hatched chicks can find heat and protection, while they are free to run about on the ground when they choose, has been devised as an accompaniment to the incubator.

PUNGENT PARAGRAPHS.

—She—"Have you loved anybody else, Harold?" He (apologetically)—"Well—you know how it is yourself."—Somerville Journal.

—Muggins—"They tell me Bjones is a very devoted husband." Buggins—"Yes, indeed. Why, he actually goes to his own wife's afternoon teas."—Philadelphia Record.

—His Way of Putting It.—"Is there one fountain pen better than another?" "Well, no; I should say, however, that there are a good many fountain pens worse than others."—Chicago Record.

—"What on earth have you been doing, my child?" exclaimed Fannie's mother as the little girl came into the room with her hair all awry and her dress torn in a dozen places. "Playin' shoppin', ma'am!" was the reply.—Yonkers Statesman.

—Ragson Tatters—"Wat's become o' Bonosy?" Rollingstone Nomoss—"Did'n' yer hear? Why, dey had ter put 'im in de loonertic asylum." "What fur?" "Why, he swiped a box frum de grocery store and carried it ten blocks, an' w'en he opened it it wuz full o' soap."—Philadelphia Record.

—Mr. Ferry—"I see that at a wedding at Quincy, Ill., the man promised to obey instead of the woman. I wonder how the match will turn out?" Mrs. Ferry—"Oh, about like any other marriage. I don't suppose he meant it, any more than the woman does when she says it."—Cincinnati Enquirer.

—Strange that it should be said that this is a hard, unfeeling world. It is a bright, beautiful world; at least just before election, when one is all the time meeting the most amiable of men with faces all smiles and with a hand held forth in eager pursuit of another hand to fondle and caress.—Boston Transcript.

—Mr. Slaveserf (to his wife)—"Clara, I wish you would tell Bridget not to cook the biscuits quite so brown in future." Mrs. Slaveserf—"Why, John, what are you thinking of? Bridget and I haven't been on speaking terms since that morning I forgot myself and spoke hastily to her when she broke that old china saucer I had had so many years."—Boston Transcript.

NORTHERN WITCHES.

In Modern Times Belief in Them Has Been Quite Common.

So lately as the middle of this century a girl of Louisburgh, near Wick, was accused of being in league with the "pooers o' mischief," and a remedy akin to that recently practiced with such tragic results in Ireland was devised. She was placed in a basket, lined with shavings of wood, which was then hung over a fire. The issue in this case was not fatal, but the folk averred that she was not "half so witch-like" after she had been singed. A bag of the northern isles was at times thought to be metamorphosed into a porpoise, and in fair weather she would dive under and overturn a fishing boat, against whose skipper she bore a grudge. On one occasion she was made to place her hand on the bodies of several men who had met their death in such a way, and, in the words of the old chronicler, one "bled at the collir bane," another "in the hands and fingers, gushing out blud thairat, to the great admiratione of the beholders and revelation of the judgment of the Almychtie."

A host of stories tell of northern witches who have given diseases to horses, oxen and flocks of moorland sheep. Herdsmen to this day distrust unknown persons who touch the fool of their kye, lest it be poisoned. In Shetland the cat or vaneja is regarded as an animal which brings good luck; if she is seen to run toward the boat's nust there is sure to be a good catch. In Chaithness, on the contrary, witches frequently appear in the form of cats. A carpenter of Scrabster in the olden times was systematically robbed of his meal and cakes. He thought it "ceu'na be cannie," and one night as he watched he saw a number of cats devouring his property. In a trice he cut off the right leg of one of them, whereupon they made their escape with a rapidity which confirmed his former suspicions. Shortly afterward an old woman, who had always been looked upon with disfavor, was found dead in her lone cottage, bereft of her right leg.—Scottish Review.

True Form of the Moon.

You were doubtless taught, as was the writer, that the moon is globular-shaped; or, in other words, that its form is similar to that of the earth. According to the teachings of advanced modern astronomy this is all a mistake. It is believed nowadays that the moon is a perfect ellipse, its figure being nearly exactly one-third longer than it is broad. This elliptical theory of our satellite's shape is founded on the well-known fact that a certain side (end, rather) of the moon is always presented to our view. This is caused by the moon revolving once on her axis in exactly the same period of time that she revolves around the earth. Her elongated shape was probably caused by the attraction of the earth when both planets were young and soft.

Pretensions of King Menelik.

The missionary Flad, a German belonging to Wurtemburg, writing from Abyssinia, says that one Goban Desta, who was educated near Basle, and has been a colporteur of the English Bible society, working in Harrar and Shoa, was taken and put in chains merely because he wrote reports to Europe. King Menelik seemed determined to suppress everyone who might report his preparations against the Italians. The king is surrounded, says Mr. Flad, by French and Russian courtiers, and boasts beforehand of his victory over the Italians, and how he means to set forth from the Tigre to Jerusalem to free the holy city. He needs the help of Russia, and promises rich booty to his soldiers. He thinks he will do all this as easily as he carried out a raid lately against the Gallas, killing the men and making slaves of the women and children. He declares he is a direct descendant of David and Solomon.—London News.

Fire Annihilators in London.

In London every public building from the queen's palace down is supplied with a fire annihilator. Some of the large ones will produce 17,000 gallons of carbonic gas and steam in the space of four or five minutes.

Cambria Freeman.

EBENSBURG, CAMBRIA CO., PA.,

FRIDAY, - - FEBRUARY 28, 1896.

A JOURNAL devoted to the pen, ink and paper trade says that the world now uses 3,500,000 steel pens every day in the week.

THE nomination of E. F. Spenser, of Hastings, as the candidate for county treasurer by the Republicans at their convention on Monday is an indication that the Republican party of Cambria county has reached the conclusion that it is now "strong enough to carry an egg."

THE authorities of Rhode Island say that a law was enacted 70 years ago compelling persons performing the marriage ceremony to be registered, and that for over 50 years the law has been voted, and that during this time there has not been a legal marriage in that state.

IT is reported that eight or ten of the Cuban sympathizers imprisoned in the Cabanas and Moro Castle are murdered every night by order of General Weyler. In order to stop this bloody work the revolutionary committee in the city of Havana have issued a manifesto stating that if it is continued they will blow up the city with dynamite.

JOHN H. JORDAN, Esq., a Republican aspirant for congressional honors from Bedford county made the announcement one day last week that he would withdraw from the contest. This leaves three candidates in the field, Hon. J. D. Hicks, of Blair county, the present incumbent, Alvin Evans, Esq., of this county and J. E. Thropp, of Bedford county.

SENATOR ALDRICH, the manager of all tariff and financial legislation on the Republican side, admitted at Washington on Monday for the first time that the Dingley tariff bill had been smothered to death under the free coinage substitute reported by the Finance committed, and he expects to have a public announcement of this fact made in the senate shortly, in order that there may be no further agitation on the subject.

THE Blair county commissioners awarded the contract on Thursday of last week to a Boston firm for the erection of a $11,000 monument to the memory of Blair county soldiers and sailors. Blair is the first county in the state to erect a monument under the late act of 1895. The monument will be dedicated at the county's semi-centennial anniversary in June, with orations by Governor Hastings and Adjutant General Stewart.

A DISPATCH from Rome to the Pall Mall *Gazette* states that advices from Cairo leave little doubt that England has commenced negotiations with France in reference to the evacuation of Egypt. It is added that Great Britain is inclined to make concessions with the view of meeting French susceptibilities regarding the occupation of that country. M. Cambon, the French ambassador to Turkey, has gone to Cairo, presumably with the negotiations.

EDGAR W. NYE, popularly known under his pen name of "Bill Nye," the humorist, died at his home, Buck Shoals, N. C., on Saturday. Since he abandoned his lecture tour, about a month ago, he has been a close invalid. Mr. Nye was born in Shirley, Me., in 1850, and grew up on a farm. He studied law later, and in 1876 went to Wyoming Territory, where he was admitted to the bar. He afterwards declared that his clients could be hanged effectually without the expense of a lawyer, so he look to writing for the newspapers and the lecture platform.

WILLIAM A. SPONSLER, late president of the wrecked Perry county bank of Sponsler & Junkin, for a number of years the leading member of the local bar at New Bloomfield, Pa., and the local Republican competitor of Judge Lyons in the recent judical contest, has spent his first week in prison. His relatives have fixed up his cell comfortably. He has his books and a writing table, and, in anticipation of a long imprisonment, it is the intention to have his cell papered. When the Perry county bank closed it owed its depositors $120,000. All his property has been sold and less than $10,000 was realized.

TWENTY-FIVE of the twenty-eight Republican congressmen of this state have sent Senator Quay a letter asking him to be a candidate for the presidency, and Mr. Quay has shown his epistolary promptness by answering by return mail that he is willing. The correspondence demonstrates that, unlike Governor Morton, of New York, he will not have the backing of a solid congressional delegation. Nevertheless it shows that his candidacy is a substantial entity; and if it shall have no other effect upon the canvass, it will, at least, constitute a new nightmare to the cavalcade that disturbs the peace of the McKinley contingent.

Now that the art of armor forging can scarcely be further advanced, especially in view of the recent Pennsylvania discovery of a superior finish to the Harveyizing process, progress appears about to be made in an improved manner of using armor plate. A French naval expert has hit upon the idea of constructing plates of slabs of steel that will project their edges, and not their faces to a projectile. The Age of steel comments: "By this method the resistance is of a flexible nature, insuring a rebound that can more successfully resist penetration. Damaged sections can easily be removed and replaced, and as they are intersected by hollow tubes vibration is absorbed and the impact of shot considerably reduced."

THE last two annual elections, says the Bellefonte *Watchman*, had the effect of putting the Republican party in a cocksure frame of mind that would not allow it to doubt the certainty of its electing the next president. That was regarded as a decree of fate, and the only question was whether it should be McKinley, Tom Reed, Harrison, Morton or some other Republican who would be put into the white house on the 4th of next March.

These oversanguine people did not take into account the proverbial fickleness of political fortune. They overlooked so recent an example of the vicissitudes of politics as was furnished by the change from a sweeping Democratic victory in 1892 to an equally sweeping Republican victory two years after. The change that occurred in that brief time was due to a deception of the popular understanding, which, however has been nearly dispelled by a better conception of the facts, and the work of enlightenment will go on for nine months until the presidential election.

There are many things that are aiding this enlightenment. Nothing is doing so much to help it along as the congress that is now in session at Washington. It must be a very dull man who cannot see that its only purpose is to derange the finances and depress business in order that the trouble arising from such conditions may be blamed on the Democratic administration. This is intended for political effect in the coming campaign. It may be classed as congressional manufacture of calamity. The people see what it is intended for.

Congress has been in session nearly three months, and there has not been a single measure passed. It is not the intention to do any legislating, although the president and secretary of the treasury have almost implored the passage of measures that would save the public credit from the ruin caused by previous Republican legislation. But the managers in congress want ruin. That is what they intend to run the next campaign on, and they will endeavor to make as much ruin as they possibly can for a political purpose.

But they are making a woeful mistake in thus trifling with the public intelligenece. The people understand the game that is being played in congress, and the longer it is continued the more it will increase the chance of electing a Democratic president.

GOVERNOR HASTINGS issued a proclamation on Wednesday designating Friday, April 10, and Friday, April 24 as Arbor days. The selection of either day is left to the choice of the people. The proclamation states that, although Pennsylvania was once wholly covered with a dense growth of valuable timber, to-day scarcely one-fourth of that area remains. The timber has fallen off to such an extent that the commonwealth is unable to produce the timber required for its own inhabitants. Of the regions which, when timbered, were a source of wealth to their owners and to the state, not less than 2,500,000 acres are unfit for agricultural purposes.

Most of this vast area has little or no mineral wealth and is now an unsightly and practically abandoned territory. Fires sweep over it year after year, destroying the younger growth and burning out the fertility of the soil so that this area is passing into the condition of a desert, becoming poorer each successive year.

SHOULD the nomination of Quay be made, says the Harrisburg *Patriot*, the opportunity would be an extraordinary one for the Democrats. Of all the candidates spoken of Mr. Quay in a long contest would prove the weakest. Even the nomination of Tom Platt could not be a greater party blunder nor one by which the Democrats could so surely profit. Mr. Quay's past record is not "burnt powder" as some of his political associates allege. It is important in any event that the Democratic nominee should be an exceptionally strong man; in case of Quay's nomination it is vitally important that he should be the strongest and ablest available man so that the route of the enemy, complete and overwhelming as it would be, would be followed by an administration of exceptional force, cleanliness and patriotism.

THE explosion of dynamite which occurred at the suburb of Viedendorp, South Africa, on Thursday of last week, was terribly disastrous, involving the death of 100 persons and the wounding of twice that number. Eight railway cars, loaded with dynamite, were being switched from one track to another when the explosion took place. A hole 30 feet deep was made in the ground, and every house within a radius of half a mile was razed to the ground. According to the estimates, about 100 persons have been killed and about 200 seriously wounded; about 100 others were injured. A popular subscription has been opened for the relief of the wounded and homeless, and about $500,000 has been secured.

ON Sunday Judge Reed, one of the Philadelphia common pleas judges, died suddenly in New York City. On Monday the leaders of the Quay organization in Philadelphia were in conference with the governor at Harrisburg in regard to filling the vacancy. They have a candidate, and, as the governor has abandoned the Martin combine, will probably secure his appointment. No evidence of "organized appetite, here. The greedy politicians might at least have waited until after Judge Reed's funeral.

LI HUNG CHANG, the Chinese statesman, who has been appointed to represent the emperor at the coronation of the czar and czarina of Russia in Moscow in May, has decided to return to China from Russia by way of Europe and the United States. No date is fixed for his coming, but a visit to this country may be expected from the distinguished Chinaman sometime during the summer.

Washington Letter.

Washington, D. C., Feb., 22, 1896.—Senator Hill is on the right track in his attacks upon the abuse of the right of petition to congress. It has been made a cheap way of getting notoriety for this or that organization to send out thousands of printed petitions to be signed and sent to senators and representatives with a request that they be sent to congress, knowing that when so presented the titles of the petitions and the purpose for which they are sent would be read in open session and printed in the *Record* and in many newspapers. Senator Hill proposes to at least partially reform this abuse of having the petitions handed to the clerk of the senate who will put them on file, instead of their being formally presented by senators, as now.

The Republicans are still unable to do anything with their tariff bill. Senator Carter, who voted against taking it up the other day, has given notice of his intention to move that the bill be sent back to the Finance committee for further consideration. The matter was brought up at a joint caucus of Republicen senators and representatives, held last night, but nothing was decided upon.

The McKinley men declare the sudden epidemic of candidacy fever among Republican senators and ex senators is nothing more nor less than an attempt to make a combination of the field against McKinley, and there is appearantly foundation for the declaration. The Quay-Platt-Reed combine seems to have become afraid that McKinley might get nomimated on the first ballot if they nidn't cut up the vote. They found plenty of willing tools in the senate, where McKinley has not one single sincere friend, and the vote will be cut up.

Senator Vest, of Missouri, is not one of the professional "funny" men of the senate, but he knows how to raise a laugh with the best of them when he wishes. An instance showing this fact was given this week. Mr. Vest was making a few remarks when Senator Peffer got up and began to address the chair. By the time Senator Vest had turned his eyes upon his whiskers Senator Sherman was also upon his feet and addressing the chair. "Mr. President," shouted Sen. Vest several times without attracting the chairman's attention, and then he asked if he might make a parliamentary inquiry. That caught the chairman's attention, who at once said: "The gentleman from Missouri will state it. Mr. Vest then said with much solemnity: "I believe I was addressing the senate, and had the floor, but it seems that I have no longer got it. If I can't get it in any other way, I rise to a parlimentary inquiry to find out how I lost it." A titter ran around the senate, Mr. Sherman apologized for his interruption, Mr. Peffer sat down, and Mr. Vest proceeded with his remarks.

Secretary Morton's dinner to President and Mrs. Cleveland, this week, has been widely discussed on accuunt of the original manner in which the table was decorated. A big plow made of red carnations was the centre piece of the table, and upon each side of it were hay stacks made of yellow spun sugar, under which were piles of vegetables and farm implements all made of sugar. At each of the four corners of the table was a wheelbarrow made of candy cabbages, containing confections in the shape of confections and fruits. The ices were served in candy hay wagons, and the punch in little cups made to imitate apples, peaches and pears, and the individual dishes for the stewed terrapin were china terrapins. This was the last of the formal cabinet dinners for this season.

Mr. C. P. Huntingdon can talk a congressman weary on the benefits of his proposal to extend the debt due the government from the Pacific railroads one hundred years at 2 per cent, but when it comes to giving substantial information as to the actual workings of the roads he is about as poor a witness as could be found. Senator Morgan is proving himself a thorn in the side of Mr. Huntington, by driving the magnate into the corner with his pertinent questions, but about all that Mr. Morgan has yet been able to show is that Mr. Huntington could tell much that would throw light on the subject if he would. Washington is fairly swarming with Huntington's lobbyist's, determined to buy every congressional vote that is purchasable, either with money or other commodities, and to bulldoze, aye and even blackmail, those who stand out against their persuasions. A man who knows, I think, says private detectives are shadowing the movements of every senator and representative who is known to oppose Huntington's scheme, for the purpose of getting evidence which can be used to control his vote. Some of the congressmen who have indicated friendliness to the Huntington scheme are living higher that ever before in their lives and it is'nt costing them a cent.

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Maher was Just too Easy.

Langtry, Tex., Feb. 22.—Peter Maher was knocked out by Bob Fitzsimmons yesterday afternoon in the first round after 1 minute and 35 seconds o' actual fighting. Fitzsimmons played the same old game he has so often played before, landing on his opponent until he had him where he wanted him, and then landing a lightning right-hand swing on the jaw, and it was all over. It was the identical blow that knocked out Jim Hall in New Orleans.

For the first part of the round Maher had the better of it. He led often and forced the fighting. In his eagerness to get at Fitzsimmons he committed a palpable foul during a clinch, and was warned by Referee Siler that its repetition would cost him the fight. Maher fought well, but he was no match for his red headed opponent, who proved himself to-day one of the craftiest men that ever stepped into the ring. Fitzsimmons is now, by Corbett's action in presenting the championship to Maher, the champion of America, and after the fight was over he declared, through Julian Julian, his willingness to defend the championship against any and all comers.

The fight took place in the bottom of the Rio Grande river on the Mexican side, a mile and a half from the Langtry depot.

Overrun With Murderers.

Wilkesbarre, Feb. 23.—The third murder to occur in the little town of Duryea in less than a week was committed there to-night. A quarrel ensued between a Polander and his wife, and the former struck her on the head with a poker, she fell dead on the floor. It has been impossible to learn their names at this late hour.

Last night Patrick Walsh was shot through the heart, and Conniff is now locked up as the murderer.

On Thursday night William Vushinski died as the result of a brutal beating he received at a christening two days previous.

The tardy process of the courts and the failure to arrest many of the criminals is in a large measure responsible for the prevalence of tragedies in this vicinity. While far more murders occur here than in any other part of the state, it is seldom that anyone is hanged.

Highest of all in Leavening Power.—Latest U. S. Gov't Report

Royal Baking Powder

ABSOLUTELY PURE

Bound Naked to a Tree.

Leesburg, Fla., Feb 23.—Miss Maud Darrell, a pretty 17-year-old Chicago girl, who was spending the winter with Mr. and Mrs. James Armstrong, at Centre Hill, a small place near here, was found in the woods yesterday morning, bound to a tree. The girl was nude, there was a rope about her neck, her hands were tied behind her back and her feet were bound. She had also been dealt a cruel blow on the head. Miss Darrell was unconscious when found and was nearly frozen.

There was an entertainment at Mr. and Mrs. Armstrong's Thursday night and at about 10 o'clock the girl disappeared from the parlor. As she did not return her friends became alarmed and began a search. No trace of the missing girl was discovered until this morning, when she was found. Miss Darrell has not yet recovered consciousness and the physicians fear that she will die without being able to give the names of those who abducted and maltreated her.

Three young men are suspected of complicity in the outrage and there is talk of lynching them.

Roasted by Robbers.

Shamokin, Pa., Feb. 22.—Paul Osman was last night held over a large exhaust pipe near the Luke Fidler shaft by unknown highwaymen, his captors endeavoring to steam him to make a confession of the whereabouts of $100 which one of the masked men claimed the prisoner had upon leaving Shamokin for his home in Hickory Ridge at midnight. Roasting him until they thought he was dead, the robbers laid him in a mine car and disappeared.

Miners found Osman an hour later, having been attracted by his moaning. Ofman related his awful experience, after which he became unconscious and sank so rapidly that this evening attending physicians reported him in a dying condition.

One side was almost burned to the bone from his knees to his head, while large blotches of skin were missing from other portions of his person. Osman had no money with him, and the robbers got nothing.

Earth is Safe.

Washington, Feb. 23.—The astronomers in Georgetown university are not losing any sleep over the direful prognostications from western scientists that Perrine's new comet, now rapidly approaching the earth, will collide with us. "The chance is not 1 in 50,000,000," was the way Dr. Rigge put it. While admitting the possibility of a collision, he said it was so remote it would be foolish to worry about it. He added: "The nearest approach to a collision the earth ever had was in the fall of 1893, but even then the danger was extremely slight. As to the Perrine comet coming in contact with our sphere I may say that that is nonsense."

George M. Searle, director of the Catholic University's observatory, holds the same view, saying that the comet recently discovered in California is now 25,000,000 miles distant from the earth, and that it would not come much nearer, while Perrine's comet is also not threatening.

Another Baltimore Horror.

Baltimore, Feb. 24.—Closely following the Charles street horror yesterday, in which eight persons lost their lives, another fire, with probably fatal results, occured in Canton. Mrs. Frederick Rose left her four children in charge of her son, William, aged 11, for a few minutes, about 9 o'clock. The kerosene lamp in the room grew dim and the boy essayed to refill it without extinguishing the flame.

An explosion followed that scattered the burning fluid about the room and set fire to the clothing of the children. Neighbors rushed to their assistance, but three of them are thought to be fatally burned. They are: Louisa, aged 8 years; Hannah, 6 years old, and Mary 16 months old. William was also badly burned, but not so seriously as his sisters. They were removed to Johns Hopkins' hospital, where little hope is entertained for the recovery of the three girls.

Trouble in Nicaragua.

Washington, Feb. 24.—According to news received from San Juan Del Norte, Nicaragua, an uprising is again imminent in that country. Newspapers have been suppressed but reports brought to San Juan by passengers from the interior are to the effect that the city of Leon has declared itself in favor of Baca against President Zelaya, and demanded Zelaya's resignation.

Zelaya considers himself strong enough to put down the movement, trusting for support to the conservatives and the friendly government of Honduros. Great excitement prevailed through Nicaragua, especially as most of the arms and amunition are in Leon. The latest advices are that Zelaya has declared himself "dictator" and that all his ministers have left him. At last reports the people of Leon wer up in arms and a fight was imminent.

The Woman Saved Him.

New York, Feb. 21.—While skating yesterday John Mitchell struck a weak spot, and, breaking through the ice found himself in deep water. Several young woman immediately went to Mitchell's assistance. An excited man attempted to aid the young women, but was pushed out of the way without ceremony, and the girls went about saving the man's life in their own way. Two of the girls lay down on the ice, and the others held on to them, while they reached into the water and seized the drowning man by the arms. Considerable vigorous pulling resulted in bringing Mitchell out on the stronger ice, where he soon recovered his breath and went home.

Carlisle Indian School Commencement.

CARLISLE, Pa., Feb. 26.—The seventeenth annual commencement of the Carlisle Indian Industrial school was begun last night. Thursday will be commencement day with an inspection of the school at 9 p. m., and graduating exercises at 2 p. m., when General Howard will present diplomas. In the evening there will be a public reception to Generals Lee and Howard.

Bridge Damaged by Ice.

ROCK ISLAND, Ills., Feb. 26.—Part of the big government bridge across the Mississippi connecting this city with Davenport, Ia., collapsed from the flow of ice.

BOLD BANK BANDITS.

One Raid In Texas, Another In Arkansas.

LEAD PUMPED AT THE OFFICIALS.

Cashier Darsey Killed at Wichita Falls, Tex., and Bookkeeper Longford Shot. An Official Mortally Wounded at Warren, Ark., and Another Shot.

WICHITA FALLS, Tex., Feb. 26.—Two robbers have entered the City National bank of this city and demanded the money of Cashier Dorsey, who resisted them. Shooting began, resulting in the death of Cashier Frank Dorsey and the wounding of Bookkeeper P. P. Langford. Langford's wounds are not serious, being slight flesh wounds. The robbers secured only a few hundred dollars in silver. They then mounted their horses and made a run for their lives. By this time many of the citizens had armed themselves and a small battle took place. One of the robbers' horses was shot from under him, and it is believed the robber was wounded.

He mounted behind his partner and about one mile from town met a farmer in a buggy. They took his horse and made a break for the hills. In the meantime the citizens had secured horses and at last reports they were within a quarter of a mile of the robbers, with good prospects of overtaking them. Captain McDonald and his rangers are on the trail. It is believed a hanging bee will take place if they are caught. A reward of $1,000 is offered by the Panhandle and City National banks for their capture, dead or alive.

The robbers are corralled in a large thicket in the middle of a pasture nine miles from town. The thicket is surrounded by 25 or 30 determined men who are fully armed and escape is almost impossible. They have sent in for 25 additional men, and they have just started. Foster Crawford, one of the robbers who killed Cashier Dorsey, is said to be a noted desperado. It is also reported that one of the famous Christian gang was the other man.

TWO BANK OFFICIALS SHOT.

Bold, but Unsuccessful Attempt to Rob a Bank In Arkansas.

WARREN, Ark., Feb. 26.—A daring, but unsuccessful, attempt has been made to rob the Merchants and Planters' bank of this place. The men entered the bank, and two of them went behind the enclosure where Mr. Adair, the cashier, was seated in conversation with Messrs. T. M. Goodwin and D. W. Sutton. Their first salutation was: "Hold up your hands." Mr. Adair sprang for his pistol when the men commenced shooting, and Mr. Goodwin received what is thought to be a mortal wound, and Mr. Adair was shot through the shoulder. He returned the fire, and evidently wounded one of the men, as when he rode off he was seen to be bleeding.

The firing of the pistols startled the citizens who came running from all directions, and the robbers were forced to retire without accomplishing their object. As they rode out of town they kept up a fusillade of shots and went out northwest of town.

ONLY THE LEADERS HELD.

Most of the Steamer Bermuda Filibusters Released.

NEW YORK, Feb. 26.—Commissioner Shields has ordered the release of all the men arrested in connection with the Bermuda filibustering expedition with the exception of General Garcia, Captain Hughes and two other leaders. These have been held on bail for trial March 3.

The prisoners were released because their arrest was in violation of the instructions sent out from Washington last week, by Attorney General Harmon, that suspicion merely was not sufficient ground for arrest, but that evidence of intention to violate the neutrality laws was required.

The expedition was the largest that has yet been fitted out in the interest of the Cuban revolutionist. It came to grief by the seizure, in this harbor, of the steamer Bermuda, flying the British flag. The steamlighter J. S. T. Stranahan, which was loaded with arms and ammunition, was also seized, as were the tugs McCaldin Brothers and William J. McCaldin, which had carried about 60 Cuban filibusters aboard the Bermuda. United States marshals and Pinkerton detectives, the latter in the employ of the Spanish government, aided in the seizure and took the filibusters ashore.

THE SOUND MONEY FIGHT.

Carlisle Predicts That Democratic Monetary Differences Will Be Settled.

NEW YORK, Feb. 26.—Secretary Carlisle was a guest of the Manhattan club last night, and many conspicuous in both parties were present to meet him. Mr. Carlisle, at the banquet table, said:

"I wanted to be here tonight because I knew that your halls would be thronged and your tables surrounded by old-fashioned Democrats who have never repudiated, and I am sure never will repudiate the principals of their party, sound money, just taxation, economy in the expenditure of the public moneys, honesty and fidelity in the discharge of official duty, and the preservation of individual liberty and the rights of the states.

"Now it is proposed to condemn this ancient democratic policy, at least so far as it relates to the maintenance of a sound and stable currency, by authorizing the free coining of silver at a ratio which shall make the legal tender silver dollar worth about one-half as much as the legal tender gold dollar."

The secretary said that the time was rapidly approaching when this party difference would be settled by the action of a majority.

Three Victims of Coal Oil.

BALTIMORE, Feb. 26.—Three children are dead and one lying at Johns Hopkins hospital in a precarious condition, as the result of the fire caused by the igniting of coal oil in the house of Frederick Rose.

Thirtieth Senatorial Ballot.

FRANKFORT, Ky., Feb. 26.—The thirtieth senatorial ballot in joint assembly resulted as follows: Hunter, 60; Blackburn, 59; Carlisle, 4; Denny, 2; Bate, 1.

Pursued by a Demon.

How many suicides, think you, reader, have been committed by persons driven distraught and hunted to their doom by the demon of chronic ill health? Count ees. For instance, we know, do we not, that Hypochondriasis is a monomania—a sort of minor madness produced by chronic dyspepsia? Again, insomania, or sleeplessness, often a result of the same cause, culminates in a derangement of the reasoning faculties. It is, therefore, of momentous consequence to prevent the arrival of disease at its chronic phase, when it daily and nightly scourges the sufferer to a dangerously uncertain goal. No medicine known to science, as a means of arresting the maladies to which it is adapted, exists equal to Hostetter's Stomach Bitters. Among these complaints are chronic indigestion and insomania, kidney and rheumatic ailments, constipation and liver trouble. Appetite is improved by the Bitters, the blood fortified, and bodily substance and vigor increased by it.

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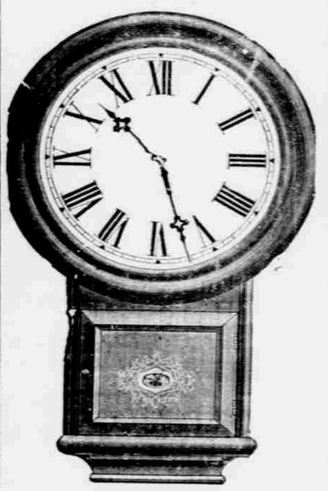

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LOCAL AND PERSONAL.

...o of Carl Rivinius' children are ...ly ill with pneumonia.

John Loyd, Ebensburg's veteran ...ner, has been confined to his house ...s for several days.

...ine Green, of the Patton *Courier*, ...ra'augh, of the Cresson *Record*, ...town on Tuesday as spectators at ...publican convention.

...is the best time of the year for ...ing grape vines. If left a month or ...er the vines will bleed or lose their ...fore the pruning knife has been used.

...ree drunk men were to be seen on the ...of Ebensburg on Saturday after ...s the result of the Republican prim... ...than the oldest inhabitant has ob... ...for many a day.

...Thursday of last week, at Harris... ...warrants were issued to William ...ns for surveys of land in Washing... ...wnship this county. This is a val... ...ract and has been the subject of ...ion since March, 1891.

...Harry McCormick, a practicing ...gal of Vintondale, was arrested on ...day in answer to a charge of violating ...laws. He was brought to this place ...sday and placed in jail but was re... ...on bail on Wednesday.

...John W. Sharbaugh, of Carrolltown, ...s an advertisement in this issue of the ...PA Interesting to all people interest... ...agricultural implements. He is the ...facturers' agent and those wishing ...ey will find he has the rock bottom ...

...Jeffries, an inmate of the alms... ...died in that institution on Friday ...aged 78 years. Mr. Jeffries had no ...ves in this county, his wife having ...number of years ago. Being an old ...his remains were interred in the ...'s Place in Lloyd's cemetery.

...Mrs. Sarah Jane Rager, one of the ...residents of Jackson township, died ...home about 11 miles from Johns... ...Sunday afternoon. She had been ill ...pneumonia for about two months, old ...having prevented a rally from the ... She was aged about 80 years.

...John Brickley, a coal miner aged 34 ...at Gallitzin, was caught between ...e cars while at work on Monday ...his left leg broken and crushed ...the knee and the ankle. He was ...to the Altoona hospital where it is ...d it will not be necessary to ampu... ...limb.

...Catholic church at St. Boniface, ...frame building, caught fire on ...y morning and was burned to ashes. ...known how the flames originated ...from a spark from the flue which ...smouldering from the day pre... ...The loss is estimated at $5,000 ...is almost covered by insurance.

...While playing in his father's barn pre... ...swinging with a horse line, Clevan ...an, the 12-year-old son of Josiah ...an, of Farmer's Mills, Centre county, ...y way got his neck entangled in the ...and when found an hour later he was ...from strangulation, the strap being ...in a perfect noose around his neck. ...accident occurred late Saturday last.

...Allen Harrold, a young man living ...Greensburg, was seriously injured ...Sunday morning. He received a ...shot from a gun which he had ...in a chicken house it, hopes of ...ing thieves. The gun was so ar... ...that when the door of the coop ...be opened the gun would be fired. ...ung had forgotten about the ...

...Hon. Webster Davis, mayor of Kansas ...City, who is a native of Ebensburg, ...ter to a Blair county citizen, in re... ...to the semi-centennial, says: "I ex... ...take my aged father and mother ...to Pennsylvania) on a visit some... ...this summer and if possible will at... ...the celebration." Some of the people ...Ebensburg will likely have a visit from ...Davis and his parents about that ...

...Valentine Glass, a native of Munster ...ship, this county, died at his home in ...burg on Thursday of last week after ...illness from pneumonia, aged thirty... ...years. The deceased was a son of ...Glass, now of Gallitzin, and was ...in Munster township in 1859. He was ...ied in 1885 to Miss Evangeline O'Neill, ...with one daughter aged seven years, ...survives him. He is also survived by his ...and several brothers and sisters.

...Samuel Ritenour, who was charged ...the murder of his wife, at Ruffsdale, ...moreland county, on the 28th of Aug... ...1895, and who was convicted of man... ...ter, was called for sentence at ...burg on Monday. When the de... ...was asked by the court if he had ...ing to say why the sentence of the ...should not be pronounced, he re... ...ied I don't think I have anything to ...He was sentenced to pay a fine of ...costs and be confined in the peni... ...for a period of 10 years and 7 ...

...Thos. Schaeffer, superintendent of public ...tion, has intimated, in a circular ...the kind of blank book to be sup... ...by the county commissioners to the ...ers for taking the school census. He ...ests that the book should be ruled ...the following columns: 1, name of ...; 2, residence of sub school district; ...3, sex; 4, color; 5 the number of ...ths attended during this school year; 7, ...of non-attendance in case of pro... ...absence; 8, name of parent, guar... ...other person having charge of the ...; a column of remarks, under which ...be entered the occupation of the child ...out of school, or any other helpful ...mation.

...Forest John, aged 2 years and 9 ...s, son of Stephen and Lucy James, ...Beaverdale borough, about two ...s northwest of Johnstown, was drown... ...in Hickson's run on Monday afternoon. ...day after dinner on Monday little ...and one of his brothers went to the ...and not long after the latter returned ...house, leaving Forest sitting on a ...stone in the middle of the stream. ...o'clock Mr. Henry Horner, an ...of the little fellow, went to the run ...for him and found his lifeless body ...under the ice, near the stone on ...he had been sitting. The water is ...a foot deep at that place. The ice ...broken and the body was taken out of ...water by Mr. Horner, who carried it ...home of the boy's parents.

...Joseph Myers, a foreman employed by ...Hector McManus at Benscreek, was ...rried to the hospital at Altoona on ...day suffering from terrible burns on ...face and hands. Myers received his ...juries on Thursday of last week. On that ...day he was loading a blast when a spark ...from a fire near by blew into the hole and ...fired the powder. The charge, consist... ...of the contents of three kegs, exploded ...with terrific force, hurling Myers twenty ...feet over an embankment. At the hospit... ...it was found that nearly all the hair had ...been burned from his scalp, his face was a ...mass of blisters and his hands terribly ...swollen. Strange as it may appear his ...eyes were not injured, nor are his injuries ...of a fatal nature. He was resting quite ...comfortable after his injuries were dressed.

Real Estate Transfers.

Anthony Sanker to Aaron Litzinger et al., Gallitzin; consideration, $450.

Max Riffle et ux. to M. B. Stephens, Johnstown, $5.

M. B. Stephens to Mary Riffle, Johnstown, $5.

Benjamin B. James to James Ross, Cambria, $50.

Hester Schrimbley et vir. to Lee Silverman, Johnstown, $400.

James Jones et ux. to Isaac J. Hughes, Summerhill, $2,000.

Joseph Slick et ux. to Paul Wiegand, Johnstown, $100.

Joseph Croyle et ux. to Thomas Hobson, Croyle, $85.

Joshua Kauffman et ux. to Thomas Hobson, Croyle, $15.

Lizzie Dickens et vir. to Michael B. Kifer, Dale, $400.

Albert L. Johnson to Sarah C. Hiteshew, Johnstown, $300.

Sarah C. Hiteshew et vir. to Francis E. Davis, Johnstown, $700.

William Gallager et ux. to G. D. Burns, Gallitzin, $450.

C. W. Hodgkins to Alice Hodgkins, Patton, $1.

Brown & Otto to Right D. Dickens, Johnstown, $800.

Administrators of James Rhey to Chas. O'Neill, Susquehanna, $356.

Heirs of Caspar Glitsch to Susan Orms, Johnstown, $795.

Heirs of Caspar Glitch to Susan Orms, Johnstown, $950.

Charles Hogue to George Hogue, Gallitzin, $75.

Sheriff of Cambria county to Edward Roberts, Cambria $100.

Aaron Litzinger et ux. to James Litzinger et al., Gallitzin, $450.

Obituary.

Mrs. Mina Seymour, a brief notice of whose death was mentioned in these columns last week was born in Carroll township, on the 17th of March, 1848. The cause of her death was consumption and though she was ailing since May last, she bore her sickness with patience and fortitude. She was a kind and loving mother and will be sadly missed by her family and a large circle of friends. She was a daughter of Augustine Hott, of Carroll township, who though 84 years of age survives her. She was married at Carrolltown on the 22d day of May, 1866, to George Seymour. To this union eleven children were born, nine of whom survive her—they are; Harriet, wife of Frank Watt, of Allegheny township; Maggie, wife of Frank Rice, of Chest Springs; Thomas, William, Alice, Burtis, Leonard, Blanche and Edgar who are at home. She is also survived by her husband, an aged father and her brothers, James and Augustine Hott, Jr., of Carroll township, and Thomas of Altoona; five sisters, Mrs. John Cole, of Altoona; Mrs. L. A. Craver, of Ebensburg; Mrs. Frank Vaught, of Altoona; Mrs. Nicholas Wyland, of Spangler, and Mrs. A. V. Buck, of Conemaugh.

The funeral services were held at the Catholic church, of which she was a lifelong member, at Loretto, on Thursday last, by Rev. Father Hawe, after which her remains were interred in the cemetery at that place.

Sensation in Wilmore.

On Saturday, February 15, Constable Joseph A. Wright, of Summerhill township, this county, was notified that in the ordinary course of nature Miss Anna Rose, daughter of Adam Rose, who resides on a farm about midway between Wilmore and Portage, should have some time since become a mother, and, as nothing was seen of the child, suspicions were aroused.

Constable Wright went to the place on Monday following, and found the body of a babe that had been dead some time buried in a fence corner on the farm, with but a slight covering of earth over it. Coroner F. J. Livingston was accordingly notified, and on Thursday proceeded to the home of Mr. Rose and thence to Portage, where a jury was empaneled, and Dr. George R. Glass held a post mortem examination on the remains of the child, which he found had been still-born.

The mother of the child testified that the babe was dead when born and placed the paternity of the infant on Charles Chappel, of South Fork. Her sister, Ellen Rose, who attended her in her sickness, also testified that the child was dead when born.

The jury found a verdict in accordance with the facts and Constable Wright will make a return of the case at March court. Mr. Rose notified the officers to re-inter the remains of the child on his farm, which was accordingly done.

California.

So beautiful is the scenery of California that Nature must have expended more than her usual energy in its creation, and especially is this true during the months of March and April, when the rainy season has passed and flowers bloom everywhere. Fortunate, indeed, is the person who can exchange the wintry climate of the East for the flower-perfumed and healthful atmosphere of California, and no better method of doing this can be had than by participating in the second "Golden Gate" tour, organized under the perfect personally-conducted tourist system of the Pennsylvania Railroad Company.

The tourists will leave New York and Philadelphia on March 11, 1896, and return to those cities on May 7, allowing four and one-half weeks in California.

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The car, which will be the very best the Pullman Company can supply, will contain nine inclosed compartments—two drawing rooms and seven state rooms—and will be attached to the special train at Jersey City and run through to San Francisco.

Applications for space of itineraries giving all information should be made to Tourist Agent, 1196 Broadway, New York, or Room 411, Broad Street Station, Philadelphia.

Marriage Licenses.

The following marriage licenses were issued by the Clerk of the Orphans' Court for the week ending Thursday, February 27, 1896:

Michael Harry Miller and Roseina Morris, Johnstown.

Noah Lever Knight and Sarah Ann Strayer, Dale.

A. W. Amigh, Conemaugh, and Mary C. Singer, Vinco.

George Zimmer and Mary Ludwig, Johnstown.

Joseph Pentland and Clara Packham, Croyle township.

George Von Lunen, Johnstown, and Jessie Elizabeth Leventry, Stonycreek township.

John Kolerba and Polaniko Kicko, Johnstown.

Mahlon Weaver and Nora E. Barkley, Richland township.

Robert Baylor and Grace Edwards, Puritan.

Charles Joseph Jamial and Mageeby Michael, Johnstown.

Institute Program.

Program of institute to be held in Cambria township school at Ebensburg, Saturday, March 7th at 1:30 P. M.

Itinerancy of school teachers, G. J. Jones.

Recitation, Julia Connell.

The teacher's work, J. W. Leech.

Song.

How can we give our scholars an appetite for knowledge, Agnes Myers.

Geography, Benjamin Williams.

Local History, Hon. A. A. Barker.

Emerson and extracts from his works by Blanche McKenrick.

Lowell and extracts, from his works by Edward Jones.

Discipline, T. L. Gibson.

Should agriculture be taught in the country schools, Daniel J. Davis and John L. Evans.

Song.

Grammar, Annie Jones.

Question box in charge of Emmett Davis.

All friends of education are cordiali invited to attend and we especially invite teachers and directors of neighboring districts to be present. Com.

Cases for March Court

The following cases will be tried at the March term of court, commencing next Monday:

CASES FOR TRIAL MONDAY.

Commonwealth vs. Mark McAvoy, surety of the peace, prosecutor, Samuel Huey.

Oliver Boyle, desertion, non-support; Matilda Boyle.

M. Cunningham, surety of the peace; William Linger.

Paul Tomasks, surety of the peace; Jacob Winkler.

Thomas Shaffer, desertion, non support; Mary Shaffer.

Robert T. Harber, desertion; Fannie Harber.

Philip Pritch, surety of the peace; James W. Kilduff.

W. T. Buterbaugh, fornication and bastardy, seduction; Pearl Buterbaugh.

Benjamin Figart, assault and battery; Merrill Wynkoop.

Walter VanScoyoc, assault and battery; William Winslow.

Charles Pritch et al., surety of the peace; James Kilduff.

John Stork, surety of the peace; William Croft.

Daniel Sweeney, surety of the peace; Maggie Brnider.

CASES FOR TRIAL TUESDAY.

Commonwealth vs. John Ward, abortion; prosecutor, Charles E. Witt.

John Ward, fornication and bastardy, seduction; Emma McCarthy.

Harry E. White, felonious rape; S. B. Sickles.

J. K. Henderson, fornication and bastardy; Marion Gibson.

Edward Buttorf, felonious rape; Pearl Rager.

Samuel Lightner, assault and battery, intent to rape; Joseph Markferding.

Thomas Cunningham, intent to rape; Annie Little.

Lucy Marine, adultry; George Marine.

Marie Francine, adultery; Duardo Gallo.

Antonio Robinson, adultery; Duardo Gallo.

Frank DeCanno, fornication: George Mandarino.

Brewster W. Kensman, seduction; Missouri Grove.

Samuel Haddle, fornication and bastardy; Sarah Steele.

Otto Fink, fornication and bastardy; Mary F. Etchison.

Ira Orris, adultery; J. J. Orris.

Frank Roberts, perjury; Charles Musante.

John McKean, fornication and bastardy; Theresa Binder.

William Winslow et al., assault and battery: W. VanScoyoc.

CASES FOR WEDNESDAY.

Commonwealth vs. Thomas Leap, aggravated assault and battery; prosecutrix, Kate Yeager.

Martin Leap, aggravated assault and battery; Kate Korvack.

Martin Leap, aggravated assault and battery; Kate Korvac.

Raffale Liberto, assault and battery; Daniel Sexton.

Raffale Liberto, felonious assault and battery; Daniel Sextox.

Daniel Sexton, aggravated assalt and battery; Alphonso Liberto.

Steve Fesko et al., aggravated assault and battery; M. Logan.

Mary Tomasko, aggravated assault and battery; M. Logan.

Mary Tomasko, aggravated assault and battery; Jacob Winkler.

John M. McKenzie et al., larceny and receiving; S. R. Varner.

John Schlaaenstine, receiving stolen goods; H. J. McKenzie.

John Schlaaenstine, receiving stolen goods; H. J. McKenzie.

John Schlaaenstine, keeping gambling house; H. J. McKenzie.

M. J. McKenzie, embezzlement; Thomas Murtha.

W. S. Davis, embezzlement, S. W. Brown.

John Harshberger, larceny and receiving; Bernard Nees.

Frederick Kissel, larceny and receiving; Bernard Nees.

CASES FOR TRIAL THURSDAY.

Commonwealth vs. Fred Speck, furnishing liquor to minors; prosecutor, A. W. Hill.

Jane Smith, larceny and receiving; Denats Nightengale.

Joseph Neff, selling liquor without license; Josiah Wertz.

Andy Leonard, assault and battery; Elizabeth Clark.

George W. Shiffler, assault and battery; intent to kill; Timothy Gator.

Joseph Carr, larceny and receiving; Mary McClain.

Claud Sickles, larceny and recieving; John Stiffler.

James Burke, horse stealing; Martin Fultz

John Walsh, assault and battery; John Potts.

Abraham Yingling, engaging in business of detective without license; Benjamin Yingling.

Atles Neff, perjury; S. E. Jones.

Ward Knabe, larceny and recieving; Joseph P. Miller.

Murdered His Cousin.

Daniel Ressler, the blacksheep, of a prominent family, killed his cousin, a girl of 18, near Cramer, in Indiana county, near the Cambria line, on Thursday of last week and instantly tinished the job by shooting himself in the head. Ressler lived for two minutes. The murder and suicide were committed in the presence of the girl's mother.

Ressler and the girl belonged to a family that is very well connected. For several years the man, who was 28 years old, had been drinking, and his habits became such that his family practically cast him off. For the last year he persecuted his cousin Ella with his attentions, and despite one or two refusals stil wanted her to marry him. Her mother had forbidden him the house, and he sought frequehtly without avail, to meet the girl clandestinely.

About two o'clock on Thursday afternoon Ella Ressler and her mother, intending to go to Johnstown, started to walk from their home above Cramer to Conemaugh furnace, where they expected to catch the train. As they passed through Cramer Ressler caught sight of them on the street and joined them, Mrs. Ressler not caring to make a scene on the street by ordering him away. After they got out of town the mother walked on ahead. They had gone about half a mile below Cramer when Mrs. Ressler's attention was attracted by hearing her daughter in an indignant tone of voice say: "It's no use, Dan. I won't marry you."

Mrs. Ressler turned around at that moment, saw the man put a revolver to the girl's head and fire. As her daughter fell, Mrs. Ressler, with a cry of horror, hurried back, but before she had reached the group Ressler had turned the revolver against himself, fired a bullet into his breast and fell upon the body of his cousin. As Mrs. Ressler came up he glared up at her, said; "Well, I fixed your daughter, anyhow," and died.

Several men who were coming up the road heard the report. They found the two dead bodies, with the mother of the girl standing by, wringing her hands. One of the men ran on to Cramer and brought wagons, in which the bodies were taken back to the town.

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The Republican Convention.

The Republican snap-convention that had been the exciting topic for politica discussion among Cambria county Republicans for the past month, came off in this place on Monday. It brought together the largest crowd consisting of delegates, liquor men, wire pullers and spectators ever seen in the court house, and at one o'clock the seats and aisles of the court room were crowded to its utmost capacity.

As the the conventon had been called to take place during the time liquor licenses are in suspense, every liquor man that could attend was present, anxious to show that he was working. In order to further impress them with the seriousness of their position, the court cryer and tipstave were borrowed for the occasion, and at one o'clock Court Crier Humphries and Tipstave Connell with their staves in their hands appeared in the bar. Court Crier Humphreys called the convention to order, while Tipstave Connell busied himself marching around through the aisles with his stave as is customary during the sessions of court.

Chairman Taylor then appeared and announced Messrs. Anderson Walters and Ed. Levergood as temporary secretaries and that he was ready to receive nominations for chairman.

County Commissioner George M. Wertz, of Stonycreek township, and John Horrocks, of Johnstown, were placed in nomination, and the first ballot landed Mr. Wertz as chairman by a vote of 112 for Wertz to 40 for Horrocks.

Mr. Wertz then took charge and after a motion had been made and carried to elect the temporary secretaries permanent, the convention got down to business.

As there were contesting delegation from Loretto and Spangler boroughs, the differences were healed by a motion made and carried, admitting both sets of delegates.

Arthur Griffith, of Johnstown then took the floor and read a resolution calling on the chairman to appoint a committee of five to draft a set of rules and regulations for the government of the Republican party in Cambria county. District Attorney Murphy took the floor and in a short speech presented the name of Alvin Evans, Esq., of Ebensburg, as the choice of Cambria county for congress, and a motion to allow Mr. Evans to choose his own conferees went through with a rush. Mr. Evans, who was in waiting to respond to Mr. Murphy, was enthusiastically received

The same program was followed in the choice of J. C. Stineman for senator, the only difference being in the length of the speeches, Mr. Stineman, it is said, having had a speech prepared, but in the hurry in making the train that morning had inadvertantly left it at home. He, too, was given the power to select his own conferess.

For assembly W. P. Reese, of Johnstown; Samuel Patterson, of Barr township; A. N. Hart, of Johnstown, and Edward Hughes, of Johnstown, were placed in nomination. The first ballot disposed of the assemblymen, and resulted as follows: Reese, 140; Patterson, 145; Hart, 14; Hughes, 5.

For county treasurer the following names were placed before the convention: Jacob Yeckley, of Gallitzin; Isaac Jones, of Johnstown; Josiah T. Evans, of Johnstown; J. W. Hamer, of Johnstown; James M. Shumaker, of Johnstown, and E. F. Spencer, of Hastings. Dr. T. M. Richards, a delegate from the West ward of Ebensburg, before balloting commenced, arose and stated that "for the sake of harmony he would withdraw the name of L. A. Craver, of Ebensburg." As Mr. Craver's name had not been mentioned, the harmony produced was apparent. After the 8th ballot James M. Shumaker withdrew and on the 9th ballot Josiah T. Evans withdrew. On the 10th ballot E. F. Spencer, of Hastings, was nominated. The ballots were as follows:

	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
Yeckley	16	13	14	12	11	11	11	14	9	6
Jones	5	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4
Evans	42	37	36	35	32	33	29	29	31	*
Hamer	25	24	24	24	23	21	24	24	25	53
Shumaker	27	28	28	30	29	31	29	22	*	
Spencer	41	50	50	51	54	56	58	65	75	90

*Withdrawn.

The candidates slated for commissioner were landed on the first ballot. When this office was reached W. J. Jones, of Portage; T. R. Davis, of Conemaugh; A. Hostetler, of Richland; Oliver Evans, of Ebensburg; Philip Hertzog, of Carroll township; Benjamin Jones, of Cambria township, and John Gittings, of Jackson township, were placed in nomination. The first ballot resulted as follows: W. J. Jones, 29; Davis, 45; Hostetler, 92; Evans, 9; Hertzog, 34; Benjamin Jones, 87; Gittings, 7. Hostetler and Benjamin Jones were declared the nominees.

For county auditor, James W. Daily, of Allegheny township, and A. L. Miltenberger, of Johnstown, were placed in nomination, when a motion was made that the nominations close. Chairman Wertz started to put the motion when, alas for poor Daily, the proceedings were interrupted and Mr. Wertz thrown off the trolley by Delegate Barker, of the East ward of Ebensburg, long enough to allow John Cunningham, of Vintondale, to make a motion that the nominations for auditor be opened again. The motion carried and the names of John Gittings, of Jackson township, and Philip Hertzog, of Carroll township, were placed in nomination. The ballot resulted as follows: Daily, 64; Miltenberger, 121; Gittings, 85; Hertzog, 4. Miltonberger and Gittings were declared the nominees. Daily was thus gotten rid of and as he would have been like a fish out of water on the ticket nominated, there will be no explanations necessary after the election to ponder over as to the why and wherefore of his running behind the ticket, as was the case three years ago.

For poor director, James Somerville had no opposition and was declared the nominee.

For delegates to the state convention, Peter Moran, of Allegheny township; M. C. Westover, of Spangler; Dr. George Glass, of Portage; A. J. Thompson, of Cresson township; F. N. Burk, of Gallitzin, and T. F. Hamilton, of Westmont, were named. The first ballot made Messrs. Westover, Thompson and Hamilton the delegates.

Campbell Robinson, of Johnstown, John E. Keiper, of East Conemaugh, and Dr. T. M. Richards, of Ebensburg, were elected conferees to select delegates to the national convention.

And thus ended Rajah Barker's convention. Although there were mutterings deep and loud against its work everything moved along according to the plans and specifications. In the boosting of Spencer, the choking of Shoemaker and the cuffing of Daily not a cog slipped and the Rajah had his way. From henceforth there will be no question as to who has control of the party. From Editor Swank down, the kickers will have the alternative of suing for peace or sitting outside of the breastworks. The election of the ticket nominated on Monday will but fasten the Rajah's hold more securely and will give him that many additional henchman who will owe their positions to him alone and who must lend him their assistance next year in landing the candidates he may select for positions at the public crib.

Barker Orders Veal for One.

The Republican ticket nominated yesterday is clean from top to bottom, and the one that will be nominated by the Democrats cannot compare with it. But it is more than eight months yet to the election, and should we commence hollering now we would get very hoarse before we could vote. It is probably as well to take a rest; we have had a surfeit of politics recently.—*Johnstown Tribune.*

Boy Wreckers to Be Tried.

UTICA, N. Y., Feb. 26.—The grand jury of Oneida county has fonnd true bills against John Watson Hildreth, Herbert Plato, Fred Bristol and Theodore Hibbard, the boys who wrecked the New York Central fast mail, two miles west of Rome, last December. They will be tried at Rome during the term beginning March 3.

Dingley Seal Bill Passed.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 26.—The house has passed the Dingley bill to exterminate the Alaskan fur seal herds, in case a modus vivendi cannot be concluded for the protection of the seals, pending the adoption of proper and effective regulations by the countries interested.

—On Sunday last in Huntingdon, a large Newfoundland dog, the property of George Snyder, attacked John Miller. Before Mr. Miller could get away he had one finger torn off and also sustained other lacerations and gashes. His brother Joseph, who went to his rescue, had his left arm severely bitten. From all accounts the dog is still alive.

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The Senate Refuses to Take Up the Bill.

SHERMAN PLEADS FOR ACTION.

He Shames the Senate For It's Inaction and Asks That the Bill Be Taken Up and Perfected—Wrangle Between Morrill and Teller.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 26.—The resolution of Mr. Morrill, chairman of the finance committee, in the senate to take up the tariff bill was a distinct surprise.

Mr. Morrill began with a brief statement as to the complication on the tariff bill. He said it had been apparent for many months that there was a deficiency in the revenues. During every month since the present tariff bill went into effect there had been a deficiency. The deficiency up to this time reached $20,000,000. If we went on at the same rate the deficiency would be $30,000,000 for the year. It was certainly manifest that congress should do something to relieve the treasury and assist in the revival of business. Therefore, concluded the senator, he moved that the senate proceed to the consideration of the tariff bill.

The rollcall proceeded with many interruptions in order to allow senators to pair. The announcement that Mr. Morrill's motion had been defeated—yeas 22, nays 33—was not unexpected in view of the vote some days ago.

The detailed vote was as follows:

Yeas—Republicans—Aldrich, Allison, Baker, Brown, Burrows, Cameron, Clark, Chilton, Davis, Gear, Hale, Hansbrough, Hawley, Lodge, Mitchell (Or.), Morrill, Nelson, Perkins, Proctor, Quay, Sherman, Sloop—22.

Nays—Republicans—Cannon, Carter, DuBois, Mantle and Teller—5. Democrats—Bacon, Bate, Berry, Caffery, Call, Chilton, Cockrell, George, Gordon, Gray, Harris, Hill, Lindsay, Martin, Morgan, Palmer, Pasco, Roach, Turpie, Vest, Walthall and White—22. Populists—Allen, Butler, Jones (Nev.), Kyle, Peffer and Stewart—6.

The pairs were as follows; the names of those who would have voted aye being given first:

Chandler with Murphy, McBride with Smith, Hoar with Pugh, Warren with Jones (Ark.), Wilson with Irby, McMillan with Blackburn, Pritchard with Blanchard, Wetmore with Voorhees, Pettigrew with Gibson, Frye with Gorman, Squire with Daniels, Wolcott with Brice, Platt with Vilas, Elkins with Faulkner, Sewell with Mitchell (Wis.), Thurston with Tillman.

As soon as the vote was announced Mr. Morrill again addressed the senate. It was now evident, he said, that the Republican party was in the minority in the United States senate. A chorus of derisive laughter came from the Democratic side of the chamber at this statement. Mr. Morrill, not noticing this interruption, proceeded to state that in his judgment the tariff bill was defeated by a vote including five silver Republicans and six Populist. There was no substantial change in the present and former votes. It settled all questions of doubt. The senator said the Republican members of the finance committee would be ready at any time before congress adjourned to come to the relief of the treasury.

"If we fail to do this," continued Mr Morrill, "I do not think it would become me to ask any further time."

Mr. Teller secured recognition as soon as Mr Morrill concluded. The Colorado senator referred scornfully to the assertion of Mr. Morrill that there was not a Republican majority in the senate. That was a fact that had long been understood. This statement, said Mr. Teller, came with a motion out of time and out of place, to proceed with the tariff bill. The senator from Vermont (Morrill) declared that certain senators on the Republican side of the chamber are no longer members of the Republican party. The senator from Montana (Carter), who was in the judgment of Mr. Teller—as good a Republican as the senator from Vermont (Morrill), had moved to recommit the bill.

"I charge," proceeded Mr. Teller, "and I will seek to prove later, that this tariff bill was never presented with any purpose of passing it."

"If the senator from Vermont," continued Mr. Teller, "thinks he can embarrass those who have been as devoted to the Republican party as he has been, then he is mistaken. I will follow my own judgment on this question. And I will stay in the Republican party in spite of the senator from Vermont."

This chief effort to pass a tariff bill, added Mr. Teller, was degrading to the American senate. It was degrading to those who took part in it.

Mr. Morrill interrupted to say: "I have read no man out of the Republican party."

Mr. Teller responded that the whole spirit of Mr. Morrill's course was in this line of driving out of the party all those who do not agree with him. It was the same intolerance shown by the metropolitan press, which had already read the silver Republicans out of the party.

Mr. Sherman (O.) said the bill was not a party measure; it merely was designed to raise $40,000,000 of revenue, enough to meet the current expenses of the government. The senator said he would vote for any tax which may be proposed, whether by Democrat, Republican or Populist, if it supplied sufficient revenue; whether it was a tax on tea, coffee or anything. "It is a disgrace," said he, "that we are now expending $80,000,000 a year more than the receipts of the government and that congress now in session with both houses fully armed with power to furnish the revenue, is idle and refuses to act."

The senator then deplored the condition which caused the issue of $263,000,000 of bonds by the present administration, made necessary, he said, by a deficiency in revenue and doubt whether under this process of financiering we should be able to maintain the standard of our money in this country. Said he:

"The other house, having sent us ever so faulty a bill, let us take it up and if it is not right, let us make it right and send it back to the house and we will have a ready concurrence. But for us to adjourn with these deficiences accruing more and more is, as I say, not a manly action to be taken by either of the great parties, or by any party that is responsible for it."

Mr. Harris asked: "Why does not the senator from Ohio advise the treasury department to coin the $55,000,000 of seigniorage and the balance of the silver that lies in the treasury idle and utilize it to answer the purpose of the treasury."

Mr. Sherman replied: "That has been tried and tested, and if ever that question met its final solution it was in the house of representatives freshly elected by the people, whereby a majority of almost 2 to 1, the judgment of the house of representatives, the representatives of the people from equal and exact districts throughout the country, pronounced their denunciation of the most foolish and dangerous policy of departing from the now lawful standards of money in the country."

Senators Platt and Aldrich, in answer to direct questions from Senator Allen, announced emphatically that the Republicans would not accept a tariff bill with a free silver attachment.

Mr. Frye (Rep., Me.) took the floor and declared that the tariff bill was as dead as Julius Cæsar. Business interests demanded that the statement be made emphatically that the bill was dead. He hoped it would never be heard from again and that the responsibility should rest where it belonged.

Mr. Morgan then resumed his speech on the Cuban resolutions.

James Reed of Sheffield, Ills., shot himself and wife. Reed is dead.

BLAIR COUNTY CELEBRATING.

Reminiscent Sketches Published of Great Men Whose Careers Started There.

HOLLIDAYSBURG, Pa., Feb. 26.—Blair county, upon whose soil was begun the life work of Thomas A. Scott, Andrew Carnegie, J. Edgar Thomson and Robert Pitcairn, is commemorating its semi-centennial anniversary today. This county and the Pennsylvania railroad were created at the same session of the state legislature. Both projects faced strong opposition in the assembly from the same enemies, and to this fraternal association at their births, between the county and the railroad corporation, is due the establishment of the extensive car and locomotive shops at Altoona, this county.

The semi-centennial committee today published reminiscent letters and sketches from Andrew Carnegie, Robert Pitcairn, Vice President Frank Thomson, of the Pennsylvania railroad; Director A. J. Cassatt, D. R. Lovell, superintendent of the Monongahela division, and other officials, whose railroad careers began here. Sketches were also published from the following public men, who are honored sons of the county: Congressman Harry H. Bingham, George W. Huff, J. E. Robinson and Edgar Wilson; Major John D. Patterson of Harrisburg, ex-Auditor General Thomas McCamout, Hon. Titian J. Coffey, ex-attorney general of the United States; T. Blair Patton, superintendent of the Huntingdon reformatory and others.

June 11 and 12 have been fixed as the dates for the formal celebration of the semi-centennial.

REV. WOOD DEFENDS HIS SON.

He Accuses Jackson of Getting His Young Boy Into Trouble.

CINCINNATI, Feb. 26.—The Rev. D. M. Wood of Green Castle, Ind., father of William Wood, who is in jail here for complicity in the proposed procuring of an abortion in the case of Pearl Bryan, the murdered girl, makes a long statement in the way of palliating the share of his son in the crime, if not excusing it. Speaking of those dreadful letters sent by Wood to Jackson, he said:

"I have no apology for the letters. They were as great a revelation to me when I read them in Mayor Caldwell's office as they were to anyone else. I did not consider him capable of using such language. They appear to be such as a boy might write who wished to appear as bad and some one else. They are clearly the result of Jackson's unfortunate influence over my boy."

He blames Pearl Bryan for inducing his son to introduce Jackson to her during last August and September. He says many young men of the town have come to him personally and assured him of what they knew of Pearl Bryan and of his son and that there never was any improper intimacy between them. Jackson made will believe that in the case of Pearl Bryan the operation to be performed in Cincinnati was a common occurrence; was very simple and safe and would detain her here only four or five days. He said Dr. Gillespie during the holidays urged Jackson to marry Pearl Bryan, but he refused. Rev. Wood does not think Indiana will indict his son.

A QUAY TICKET NAMED.

Senator's Friends Meet and Indorse Candidates In Allegheny.

PITTSBURG, Feb. 26.—The Quay Republicans have met in Allegheny City and indorse a county ticket as follows:

William B. Rodgers, Pittsburg, judge of common pleas court No. 2; James A. Grier, Allegheny, controller; George W. Snaman, Allegheny, treasurer; John W. Nesbit, Oakdale, sheriff; Harry C. Sawyer, Pittsburg, recorder; George B. Herwick, McKeesport, clerk of courts; William M. Kennedy, Allegheny, register; M. M. Garland, South Side, and Henry M. Breckinridge, Tarentum, county commissioners; William H. Guy, Canaopolis, director of the poor.

The candidacies of Senator M. S. Quay for president and Colonel W. A. Stone for governor were indorsed.

At the meeting of the Republican county committee of Erie, Senator M. S. Quay was endorsed for president, S. A. Davenport of Erie county for congressman-at-large and Dr. L. Flood of Meadville, editor of the Chautauquan, for delegate-at-large from Pennsylvania.

HONESDALE—At the republican congressional convention Homer Green was declared to be the choice of Wayne county for congress from the Fifteenth district. He will give way to James Codding of Bradford, the present member, if he is a candidate. Senator E. B. Hardenburg was unanimously named as delegate to the national convention in St. Louis, subject to the choice of conferees. Quay is his choice.

BASEBALL GAMES AT HOME.

Those Scheduled by the National League for Pittsburg and Cleveland.

NEW YORK, Feb. 26.—Following are the games at home scheduled by the National Baseball League for the Pittsburg club:

With Boston—May 14, 15, 16; July 13, 14, 15. With Brooklyn—May 18, 19, 20; July 9, 10, 11. With New York—May 11, 12, 13; July 23, 24, 25. With Philadelphia—May 21, 22, 23; July 16, 17, 18. With Baltimore—May 4, 5, 6; July 20, 21, 22. With Washington—May 7, 8, 9, 30, 30; July 8. With Cleveland—April 25, 27, 28; Aug. 14, 15, 17. With Cincinnati—July 3, 4, 4; Sept. 14, 15, 16. With Louisville—April 21, 22, 23; Sept. 19, 21, 22. With Chicago—June 15, 16, 17; Sept. 9, 10, 12. With St. Louis—June 18, 19, 20; Aug. 11, 12, 13.

Following are the games scheduled for the Cleveland club at home:

With Boston—May 21, 22, 23; July 16, 17, 18. With Brooklyn—May 7, 8, 9; July 6, 7, 8. With New York—May 14, 15, 16; July 13, 14, 15. With Philadelphia—May 11, 12, 13; July 23, 24, 25. With Baltimore—May 18, 19, 20; July 9, 10, 11. With Washington—May 4, 5, 6; July 20, 21, 22. With Pittsburg—June 22, 23, 24; Aug. 7, 8, 10. With Cincinnati—April 30; May 1, 2; Sept. 19, 21, 22. With Louisville—June 25, 26, 27; Aug. 11, 12, 13. With Chicago—June 18, 19, 20; Aug. 3, 4, 5. With St. Louis—July 3, 4, 4; Sept. 9, 10, 12.

A Big Gold Reserve.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 26.—The treasury statement shows the gold reserve to be $123,522,378. Of this amount $91,685,706 represents the aggregate in gold paid for bonds to date. The amount of bonds issued, however, is only $70,650,050, of which $43,413,650 are in coupons and $27,237,400 in registered, the balance being held on call from the purchasers. The total amount of the deferred gold payments, therefore is only about $20,000,000.

The Coast Fortifications Bill.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 26.—The coast defense committee has decided to amend the bill for a system of fortifications so as to expend $10,000,000 by June 30, 1897, but making any part of that sum at once available. The bill was also amended so as to allow contracts for the completion of all projects and appropriations to be made annually of $10,000,000 for the work.

G. A. R. Encampment Order Issued.

INDIANAPOLIS, Feb. 26.—Adjutant General Robbins of the G. A. R. has issued an order saying that certain railroads have granted the desired rates, the thirtieth annual encampment of the Grand Army of the Republic will be held at St. Paul, Minn., the first week in September.

Secretary Smith In Atlanta.

ATLANTA, Feb. 26.—Secretary of the interior, Hon. Hoke Smith, has arrived here from Washington to attend to prive business affairs.

Composer Thomas Dead.

PORTLAND, Me., Feb. 26.—Edward H. Thomas, widely known as a musical composer, has died at his home here at the age of 83 years.

JAMESON THEIR IDOL.

The English Bow Down and Worship the Freebooter.

AN OVATION AT HIS HEARING.

The Judge Trys to Impress the Spectators With the Gravity of the Offense, but Fails—Wild Scene Outside the Police Court.

LONDON, Feb. 26.—The British government is well aware that, though Dr. Jameson is brought to England from the Transvaal for trial as a criminal, he is in the popular eye a hero and his raid into the Transvaal, far from being viewed as a piratical enterprise, is looked upon as a chivalrous and knightly adventure to succor hard pressed friends and fellow countrymen.

It was for this reason that the crowds about Bow Police station were kept waiting and everything possible done to make a mystery of the movements of Dr. Jameson. It was hoped the ardor of his admirers would be cooled by the long wait and that the noisy mob waiting to cheer him would grow weary and depart. But all this strategy was without avail.

Dr. Jameson was brought on a tug to Erith on the Thames, and was then conducted by a further roundabout and obscure route to Bow street police court, after many hours of delay. His entrance to the courtroom was the signal for a remarkable scene. All rose and uncovered upon his appearance, giving him hearty cheers. It was in vain that the court officer sought to quell the demonstration. The effort to do so seemed a little more than cursory.

The charge lodged against Dr. Jameson and 14 of his fellow-prisoners was then declared to be a "warring against a friendly state," for their invasion of the Transvaal republic.

Mr. Henry Matthews, Q. C., who was home secretary in the former Salisbury government, announced that in view of the importance of the case the law officers of the crown would conduct the prosecution. Formal evidence was then presented as to the circumstances of the arrest. The lawyers who were in court on behalf of the accused men asked that their personal recognizances be accepted for bail.

Sir John Bridge, the chief magistrate of the Bow Street Police court, from his place on the bench said that before deciding upon the bail, he felt that he ought to observe that in his opinion a graver offense could not be charged against men, than that charged against the prisoners. It was a crime of the highest possible gravity, the magistrate continued, and it must be so treated by everyone, when they consider that the commission of such an offense might create a war between countries previously friendly. The circumstances of the present case, he added, were most peculiar. He felt satisfied that the prisoners would appear when wanted. He therefore accepted their personal recognizances, and fixed their bail at £2,000 ($10,000) each.

Sir John Bridge then addressed the prisoners personally in a grave and serious vein. He begged them for their own sakes and for the sake of the good faith of the country, to refrain from appearing where public excitement would be roused by their presence or in any way lending themselves to the disturbance of the peace.

Notwithstanding the seriousness of Sir John's tone the withdrawal of the defendants from the courtroom was accompanied by a renewed outbreak of cheering. When the courtroom had become quiet again, Sir John Bridge said sternly: "That sort of thing might bring the name of England into contempt."

Meanwhile a still wilder scene was being enacted outside the courtroom. Dr. Jameson's appearance outside the building was the signal for a wild outburst of cheering, throwing of hats in the air, and a tremendous pressure to get up within reach of the popular idol. Dr Jameson was quickly hemmed in by a surging throng who apparently sought to carry him, and he made his way through them with great difficulty. When he finally reached his cab, he was hurriedly driven off without waiting to make any sign of acknowledgment of the popular ovation.

MISS FLAGLER PUNISHED.

Served Three Hours In Jail For Manslaughter and Fined $500.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 26.—Miss Elizabeth Flagler, daughter of General Flagler, chief of ordinance, U. S. A., who last spring shot a colored boy named Green, son of a treasury department messenger, who was stealing fruit in her father's yard, has pleaded guilty to involuntary manslaughter and was sentenced to three hours in jail and to pay a fine of $500. General Flagler paid the fine and the young lady was conducted to jail to serve the three hours.

The proceedings were the result of an agreement between District Attorney Birney and Miss Flagler's lawyer's. Miss Flagler was driven to the jail in her father's carriage and was received by the warden with great courtesy. She passed the three hours in the matron's reception room in the company of General Flagler and an aunt, Mrs. Winthrop and was then driven to her home.

Gave Him a Bad Gold Brick.

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 26.—A well-dressed man, 40 years of age, who is known by the names of Edward Thompson, Charles Gordon and Addison Mills, is under arrest in this city on a charge of giving two worthless gold bricks to M. G. Ritchie, a Napa county vineyardist, as security for a loan of $5,000.

A Pawnbroker Seized and Robbed.

NEW YORK, Feb. 26.—Dennis Ferguson, a pawnbroker of Long Island City, has been seized in his shop by four men. He was bound and gagged, after which the men gathered up $10,000 worth of diamonds and other jewelry and made off with it.

Boies Will Decline.

DES MOINES, Feb. 26.—It is reported that ex-Governor Boies has written, or will write, a letter declining to allow the use of his name as a candidate for the Democratic nomination for president.

Indian Appropriation Bill Passed.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 26.—The house passed the Indian appropriation bill, the sixth of the thirteenth general appropriation bills, and sent it to the senate.

Death of Dr. Smith Townsend.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 26.—Dr. Smith Townsend, for 14 years health officer of the District and during the late war a member of General Gresham's staff, is dead.

PITH OF THE NEWS.

Broker Thomas Varker suicided in New York.

Freight crews on the Alabama, Northern have struck.

Lord Dunraven will resign from the New York Yacht club.

A fire at Chicago, in the establishment of the Kurtz & Buhrer Foundry company on Austin avenue, caused a loss of $80,000.

A dispatch from Paris said that the present ministry may pass away suddenly. Chamber of deputies voted 1,000,000 francs to be expended at the czar's coronation.

Advices from South Africa say that the Rustenburg, President Kruger's pet political organization, passed a resolution accusing England of being the archenemy of the Dutch Africanders.

Further accounts have come to hand of the massacre of Armenians. The report of the special commission appointed by the sultan to investigate the uprisings against the Armenians blame the latter in every case.

RECEIPTS AND EXPENDITURES

Of Cambria County for the Year 1895.

F. H. Barker, Treasurer.

Dr.

To balance in hands of Treasurer at last settlement		$ 25,337 11
To amount received from duplicate, 1895		108,007 34
To amount received from redemption of lands		469 38
To amount received from seated lands		2,020 0.
To amount received from unseated		10,253 33
To amount received from constables		4,541 27
To amount received from liquor licenses for use of county, $7,-505 32, license, $87 52		7,417 8.
To amount received from miscellaneous sources		2,630 7.
Received money borrowed from 1st National Bank, Johnstown, by County Commissioners	15,000 0	
	$175,707 0	
County orders paid, viz: Cr.		
Assessors	$ 6,088 47	
Auditors (county and clerk)	505 7.	
Auditors' counsel	50 0	
Auditor, State	100 0	
Agricultural Association	100 0	
Boarding prisoners	2,388 2	
Bridges	2,453 0	
Comm'rs, { Geo. M. Wertz, $400 / P. E. Dillon, 400 / J. G. Lloyd, 300 }	1,100 0	
Commissioners' expense	82 4	
Commissioners' clerks	1,300 0	
Commissioners' counsel	500 0	
Court crier and tipstaves	508 5	
Constables	1,548 8	
Cherry tree monument	17 5	
Criminal prosecutions	9,436 2.	
District Attorney	2,202 2	
Elections	5,005 0	
Interpreters	310 4	
Inquisitions	376 5	
Jail expenses	5,977 8	
Jurors, grand and traverse	6,897 5	
Janitor, court house	600 0	
Janitor, ladies' waiting room	76 0	
Jury commissioners and clerk	178 8	
Poor Directors	300 0	
Postage and expressage	205 9	
Printing	1,022 1	
Prothonotary	1,500 7.	
Penna. Reform School	3,745 8	
Recording	102 70	
Road fund	4,756 5	
Road and bridge views	873 9	
Register and Recorder	302 5	
Scales	42	
State tax and expense	6,784 3	
Soldiers' burial	810 0	
School funds	7,040 0	
Sheriff	1,270 8	
Stenographer	1,100 2	
Saloonery	44 8	
Sewerage	2,541 1	
State asylum, chronic insane	25 5	
Livery	31 5	
Water for jail and court house	583 5	
Blacklick township	1,092	
West Penn Hospital	1,892 45	
Western penitentiary	3,307 4	
Old orders paid	654 14	
Co. Supt. common schools	200 0	
Supt. Johnstown schools	126 0	
Court house expenses	2,352 4	
Miscellaneous expenses	10 0	
Redemption of lands	333 4	
Poor house orders	23,511 4	
Amt. due from constables for 1895 and previous	4,076 3.	
Abatement to tax-payers, 5 per cent on $81,022 75	4,051 1.	
Exonerations to constables	5,877 3.	
Treasurer's commission of 5 per cent. on $110,346 54, being amt. of duplicate on seated and unseated lands; receipts from constables for 1894 and previous years; less abatement to tax-payers; exonerations to constables, and remaining in hands of constables	5,515 83	
To Treasurer's commission of 2½ per cent. on $5,501 12, being the amount paid out over and above the amount collected	142 5.	
Borrowed money repaid, order No. 706	5,000 0	
Borrowed money repaid, order No. 814	5,000 0.	
Borrowed money repaid, order No. 1,187	5,000 0	
By amount remaining in hands of Treasurer	25,026 21	
	$175,707 04	

REDEMPTION OF LANDS—

Amount Received.

Frank Wargo, for use	$ 2 79
Frank Wargo, for use	5 58
Dr. D. R. Good, for use	26 37
Alvin Evans, for use	6 61
Alvin Evans, for use	7 50
D. H. Somerville, for use	2 96
C. C. Greer, for use	7 75
Mountain Coal Company	28 02
Jno. Leahey, jr., for use	13 85
J. M. Tidwell	18 53
T. H. Heist	13 46
W. L. Woodcock	7 46
W. L. Woodcock	54 07
W. A. B. Little	8 68
Mrs. E. Gilpatrick	5 26
Samuel Callahan	264 13
J. C. Patterson	4 34
A. Dietrick	9 71
Mrs. Eliza L. Reese	12 06
	$ 499 39

REDEMPTION OF LANDS—

Amount paid.

E. E. Dillon	$ 2 79
P. E. Dillon	5 58
E. T. McNeelis	6 61
E. T. McNeelis	7 50
J. C. Gates	18 53
W. J. Bush	8 68
C. H. Barker	264 13
J. H. Wicks	9 21
J. A. Shoemaker	10 56
	$ 333 49

CASH RECEIVED FROM CONSTABLES for 1894 and previous.

	County Tax.	Dog Tax.
J. J. Rhody, Ashville bor.	$ 67 62	$ 2 49
Philip Gill, Chest twp.	89 85	4 29
M. Zollner, Carrolltown bor.	128 76	4 02
W. S. McCurdy, Coopersdale bor.	23 60	4 42
H. R. McClelester, Conemaugh twp.	18 15	
A. Weakland, Elder twp.	100 00	23 04
J. B. Murphy, Franklin bor.	16 69	2 53
T. H. Howell, Gallitzin bor.	330 57	6 84
A. B. Martz, Gallitzin twp.	176 81	27 42
Thad. Delozier, Hastings bor.	179 46	8 42
I. J. Harris, Johnstown, 1st ward	98 05	
E. W. Miller, Johnstown, 2nd ward, 1893	22 10	
E. W. Miller, Johnstown, 2nd ward	10 82	
Jno. T. Martin, Johnstown, 3rd ward	103 79	
Joseph W. Seese, Johnstown, 4th ward	15 23	
Charles H. Witt, Johnstown, 5th ward, 1893	27 92	
Charles H. Witt, Johnstown, 5th ward, 1894	37 46	
Charles H. Witt, Johnstown, 6th ward, 1894	28 26	
Josiah Waters, Johnstown, 7th ward	58 40	
P. S. Freidhoff, Johnstown, 9th ward	10 64	
Thomas Mellville, Johnstown, 14th ward	44 29	
W. H. Wolf, Johnstown, 17th ward	27 22	
Peter Kelly, Jackson twp	138 00	36 11
Aug. McConnell, Lilly bor.	86 21	1 33
M. Cassidy, Munster twp	29 60	
W. E. Burns, Morrellville bor, 1st wd, 1893	354 77	
W. E. Burns, Morrellville, 1st ward, 1894	70 50	
D. E. Weyl, Morrellville, 2nd ward	230 41	
Bart Ribblett, Morrellville, 3rd ward	57 58	
S. W. Long, Portage bor., 1893	203 93	12 08
S. W. Long, Portage bor., 1894	41 14	
P. S. Freidhoff, Johnstown, 10th ward	158 00	16 87
N. W. Bennett, Spangler bor.	157 18	5 87
A. J. Rager, East Taylor twp., 1893	57 26	
A. J. Rager, East Taylor twp., 1894	41 19	
Ben Ribblett, West Taylor twp.	77 70	4 38
Geo. D. Pringle, Wilmore bor.	87 52	13 65
L. O. Gates, White twp.	10 63	2 01
R. C. Myers, Washington twp.	53 27	11 97
Adam Smith, Washington twp	10 00	
S. B. Gregory, Westmont bor.	44 54	14 27
C. Dorer, Upper Yoder twp.	54 74	
Jas. Somerville, Barnesboro bor.	32 96	27 04
H. Harshberger, Roxbury bor.	26 00	4 03
Thos. Gittings, Clearfield twp.	99 84	5 99
	64 37	7 89
L. J. Bearer, Susquehanna twp.	100 75	
J. Somerville, Susquehanna twp.	655 16	38 07
	$4 541 27	$ 284 12

AMOUNT DUE FROM CONSTABLES for 1894 and previous:

	County Tax.	Dog Tax.
Peter Kelly, Jackson twp.	$ 250 42	
Aug. McConnell, Lilly bor.	138 26	$ 14 53
W. E. Burns, Morrellville, 1st ward	34 20	20 67
Geo. E. Fisher, Stonycreek twp.	82 97	4 20
Thomas Miller, Johnstown, 14th ward	45 01	
S. E. Jones, Patton bor.	67 44	
R. C. Myers, Washington twp.	75 24	
	$ 693 54	$ 39 80

AMOUNT DUE FROM CONSTABLES for 1895:

	County Tax.	Dog Tax
Simon Adams, Blacklick twp.	$ 115 00	
Philip Gill, Chest twp.	74 16	
W. S. Securdy, Coopersdale bor.	17 14	
A. L. McChester, Conemaugh twp.	46 88	
A. Myers, Cresson twp.	133 36	7 30
A. K. McChester, Daisydale bor.	3 95	
Jno. Harris, Johnstown, 1st ward	95 90	
D. R. Edwards, Johnstown, 2nd ward	105 19	
H. Witt, Johnstown, 5th ward	189 58	
H. Witt, Johnstown, 6th ward	57 41	
Josiah Waters, Johnstown, 7th ward	4 18	
James Gallagher, Johnstown, 15th ward	29 48	
M. Cassidy, Munster twp.	8 55	10 61
E. Jones, Patton bor.	274 24	6 89
Geo. E. Fisher, Stonycreek twp.	101 14	11 01
Jas. P. McClaren, Southfork bor.	44 68	20 52
Jno. F. McGough, Summerhill bor.	11 23	
S. W. Bennett, Spangler bor.	112 14	5 66
Geo. D. Fringle, Wilmore bor.	10 79	95
S. B. Gregory, Westmont bor.	13 75	50
Somerville, Barnesboro bor.	70 02	11 94
J. Harshberger, Roxbury bor.	197 00	8 39
F. Gittings, Clearfield twp.	78 36	9 38
J. Somerville, Susquehanna twp.	477 60	40 86
S. F. Ribblett, West Taylor twp.	80 23	14 18
F. H. Howell, Gallitzin bor.	308 40	7 58
Phad. H. Deloder, Hastings bor.	257 10	
F. H. Grove, Jackson twp.	218 18	17 32
A. Weakland, Elder twp.	99 41	7 75
S. W. Long, Portage bor.	205 36	9 49
Jos. A. Wright, Summerhill twp.	121 90	16 48
A. J. Rager, East Taylor twp.	99 51	11 87
J. F. Benshoff, Rosedale bor.	32 01	2 51
J. J. Rhody, Ashville, bor.	23 13	2 91
A. Smith, Washington twp.	122 30	26 36
Dorer, Upper Yoder twp.	28 73	23 41
A Smith, Lilly bor.	112 38	8 43
	$4,076 37	$ 281 70

EXONERATIONS TO CONSTABLES for 1895:

	S & Co Tax	Dog Tax
F. L. Little, Allegheny twp.	$ 26 64	$ 4 76
J. J. Rhody, Ashville bor.	42 04	2 11
Geo. C. Feilx, Adams twp.	135 26	16 95
Simon Adams, Blacklick twp.	106 99	3 68
Jos. Somerville, Barnesboro bor.	68 36	3 69
Philip Hertzog, Carroll twp.	31 31	2 12
Jno. Fiberty, Cresson twp.	66 66	3 70
W. J. Boyer, Croyle twp.	149 84	7 42
Fes. Tibbott, Cambria twp.	47 68	9 50
Thos. Gittings, Clearfield twp.	63 07	5 82
Philip Gill, Chest twp.	32 00	1 59
H. R. McChester, Conemaugh twp.	65 58	3 15
R. C. Myers, Cresson twp.	211 23	19 06
W. S. McCurdy, Coopersdale bor.	28 87	4 77
S. W. Schroth, Carrolltown bor.	27 21	
Stephen Conrad, Chest Springs bor.	3 22	
Jno. Finerty, Dean twp.	54 48	5 28
H. R. McChester, Daisydale bor.	22 24	2 12
J. H. Rhodes, Dale bor.	58 15	6 87
A. Weakland, Elder twp.	74 01	6 36
A. J. Rager, East Taylor twp.	37 49	4 76
E. D. Evans, Ebensburg, East ward	17 35	2 11
E. W. Humphreys, Ebensburg, west ward	26 69	1 06
S. M. Snyder, East Conemaugh bor.	27 85	3 15
Jno. B. Murphy, Franklin bor.	25 37	7 87
F. H. Howell, Gallitzin bor.	70 68	9 53
Jos. P. Myers, Gallitzin twp.	194 16	15 84
T. A. Delozier, Hastings bor.	70 89	5 29
F. H. Grove, Jackson twp	185 17	7 93
Johnstown—		
1st Harris, 1st ward	174 50	
Jno. R. Edwards, 2nd ward	127 48	
Thos. Alden, 3rd ward	102 01	
J. W. Seese, 4th ward	179 14	
Chas. H. Witt, 5th ward	67 85	
Chas. H. Witt, 6th ward	65 90	
Josiah Waters, 7th wd	181 64	
C. W. Benford, 8th ward	99 14	
C. W. Benford, 9th ward	105 47	
C. W. Benford, 10th wd.	64 41	
D. R. Lucas, 11th ward	59 03	
Jas. Gallagher, 12th wd	57 46	
H. Y. Prundard, 13th wd	45 65	
C. W. Benford, 14th wd.	73 49	
Michael Logan, 15th ward	114 56	
Jos. Walcher, 16th ward	88 40	
Geo. S. Payne, 17th ward	263 15	
Adam Smith, Lilly bor.	56 41	2 12
Aug. Wills, Loretto bor.	11 91	
M. J. Cassidy, Munster twp.	19 69	1 06
C. W. Benford, Morrellville, 1st ward	64 36	5 30
C. W. Benford, Morrellville bor, 2nd ward	71 50	4 77
C. W. Benford, Morrellville bor, 3rd ward	78 38	1 06
S. W. Long, Portage bor.	41 05	1 06
Jas. Itel, Portage twp.	104 67	32 76
Samuel Jones, Patton bor	53 15	3 18
Hiram Orris, Richland twp.	52 60	14 80
H. Harshberger, Roxbury bor.	9 62	1 06
R. S. Benshoff, Rosedale bor.	6 42	
W. E. Glasgow, Reade twp.	312 40	21 16
Jas. P. McClarren, South Fork bor.	44 67	1 59
Jno. F. McGough, Summerhill bor.	19 46	2 65
Jos. A. Wright, Summerhill twp.	170 38	2 64
Jno. Fisher, Stonycreek twp.	64 00	4 77
N. W. Bennett, Spangler bor.	97 01	6 89
Jas. Somerville, Susquehanna twp.	168 86	7 39
B. F. Ribblett, west Taylor twp.	24 80	9 00
L. O. Gates, white twp.	84 68	6 35
S. B. Gregory, westmont bor.	21 22	
Adam Smith, washington twp.	53 10	8 97
R. C. Myers, Tunnelhill bor.	55 74	1 06
H. J. Smith, Lower Yoder twp.	168 40	19 02
C. Dorer, Upper Yoder twp.	95 98	3 17
	97 09	14 29
	$5,877 31	$ 343 21

AMOUNTS DUE DISTRICTS FROM SEATED lands, 1895 and 1894:

	Road.	School.	Bor.
Adams township	$ 3 00	$ 10 86	
Ashville borough		3 79	$ 1 95
Barr township	6 96	8 89	
Barnesboro borough		1 45	
Blacklick township	1 45	1 51	
Cambria township		2 20	
Carroll township	8 70	26 20	
Chest township		4 40	
Clearfield township		1 36	
Conemaugh township	1 84	83 02	68 94
Coopersdale borough		29 65	
Croyle township	94	16 40	
Cresson township		4 26	2 37
Daisytown borough		6 21	3 99
Dale borough		61 86	
Dean township	175 84	59 94	
Eider township	60 91	4 28	3 80
East Conemaugh borough		3 45	
East Taylor township		45 03	15 28
Gallitzin township		21 05	
Gallitzin borough	87	9 74	4 48
Hastings borough			
Jackson township	$4 06	$8 22	
Johnstown, 2nd ward			
Johnstown, 6th ward			
Johnstown, 9th